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French Smash 8 Miles Into Gustav Line

How Miller Threatened Lind Told at Murder Trial

Said 'Keep Away From My Wife,' Jury Told by Deputy Marshal

By Winifred Nelson

A university instructor who was an eye-witness told yesterday of the street-corner slaying of Dr. John E. Lind, after a deputy United States marshal testified he once overheard Robert Ingersoll Miller, on trial in District Court for his life, threaten Lind, "I'm warning you for the last time to stay away from my wife."

The psychiatrist replied to this foreboding statement with "Aw, go to hell," it was testified.

Another dramatic moment came when Miller, toward the end of the second day's session in the stifling courtroom, seized his counsel's arm and exclaimed, "I think I'm going to faint."

Court recessed while the 67-year-old defendant was taken into the judge's chambers and given smelling salts.

11 Men, Woman Chosen

Miller showed tension as the day lengthened, especially during the early tesitmony that followed selection of a jury of 11 men and one woman. Practically at no time did he relax, preferring to sit bolt upright.

George W. M. Ferguson, physiology instructor at the George Washington University School of Medicine, testified that he was waiting for a bus at 11th and G sts. last February 21 and saw the wild dash Miller made after his wife, Marguerite, when she entered Dr. Lind's black coupe parked outside the Woodward & Lothrop department store.

"There was a floundering about in the car," he said, "and it appeared the gentleman (Miller) was having great difficulty getting into the seat. His feet were on the outside and the door was swinging back and forth. There was a sharp noise and the gentleman got out of the car. A woman left the car and touched him on the right arm, saying something. He turned toward her and then faced back down the street. About that time a man in a naval uniform took hold of him."

Saw Man on Car Seat

Ferguson explained that because his bus had to wait for the traffic signal after he boarded the vehicle, he was able to look inside the death-car and saw "someone stretched out on the seat who appeared to be quite ill."

First witness in the trial, Deputy Marshal Peter Greco, explained he had known both Miller and Lind through their frequent appearances in the courts. Lind, as a psychiatrist, was often called to give testimony.

The witness said:

"One day last December I saw Lind seated in the courthouse corridor reading a magazine, and Miller was towering over him. Bob told him to 'keep away from that girl,' and Lind let fly an oath."

Testifies to Threat

The marshal also overheard Miller threaten to tell Dr. Winfred Overholser, superintendent of St. Elizabeths Hospital, where Lind was chief medical staff member, about Lind's relationship with Marguerite Miller.

"If you do I'll have you disbarred," the psychiatrist answered, according to Greco's testimony.

Miller's movements about the basement of the Woodward and Lothrop store, a few minutes before the shooting, and his game of "hide and seek" in the racks of "brunch" coats of the ladies' underwear department, were described by five employes of the store.

After the court reported had interrupted proceedings to learn that a brunch coat was a short lounging costume, testimony moved smoothly.

Assistant United States Attorneys Daniel Maher and Charles B. Murray attempted to show that Miller was hiding from his wife as she appeared in the underwear department to exchange a brassiere for a size larger, and followed her out of the store.

Hid Among Garments

Miss Jean Frances Martin, saleswoman in the department, said the defendant stooped down in the brunch coats lined on a rack, and then parted the colorful garments so he could peer through toward G street. "I asked Mrs. Annie Johnson to call the store detective," the witness said.

Mrs. Johnson also took the stand to relate how she negatiated the exchange of a brassiere for Mrs. Miller at about 1 p. m., the same day or shortly before the shooting. One pink-satin brassiere, size 38, was admitted in evidence at this point.

The lone woman on the panel se

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'Fort' Brings 'Prop' Home

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

IMBEDDED IN WING—Master Sergt. James L. Smith of Wharton, Tex., examines a propeller imbedded in the wing of the Flying Fortress Patches. After the ship was hit by flak over Pas de Calais the prop flew off and lodged in the wing, remaining there as the plane returned to its base in Britain

Orlemanski Apologizes; Ban Is Lifted

Promises to Refrain From Activities "Not in Accord With Church"

Springfield, Mass., May 16 (AP).—Upon receipt of a letter of apology, the Most Rev. Thomas H. O'Leary, bishop of Springfield, today lifted the four-day-old suspension of Gov. Stanislaus Orlemanski, Catholic priest who gained headlines by his visit with Marshal Stalin recently.

Fr. Orlemanski, who was suspended by Bishop O'Leary on his return last Saturday from Moscow for leaving his parish without permission, still was under a doctor's care when lifting of the suspension was announced.

He has been ordered to remain in bed several days by his physician, Dr. William C. Kotarski, who reported the priest as being "on the verge of a complete physical and mental breakdown."

In the letter the Polish-American priest wrote to Bishop O'Leary, he regretted his "seeming disregard for the legislation and directives" of his Church and he hastened "to apologize for the lack of respect for the ecclesiastical authorities which could be inferred" from his absence.

"It is now my xed purpose and promise to cease and separate myself from all activities which are not in accord with the rule and mind of the Catholic Church," the letter read.

Father Orlemanski also said he wished it to be known that his message to the Apostolic Delegate in Washington merely contained questions and answers already printed in the press.

Uproar Halts Sedition Trial; Jury Selected

Marshals Called Twice to Silence Defense Clamor

(Picture on Page B-1)

By James E. Chinn

Final selection of a jury to try 27 men and two women the Government charges with seditious conspiracy was climaxed yesterday with a turbulent disturbance, in which defendants and their lawyers participated.

Twice Chief Justice Edward C. Eicher of District Court was compelled to summon assistant United States marshals to help him restore order after his repeated and stern appeals to "please sit down" were flagrantly ignored.

The uproar occurred out of sight and hearing of the freshly impaneled jury, as Justice Eicher sought to clear his beach of an accumulation of eleventh-hour motions fired at him throughout the day in an effort to add further confusion of the big trial or have it postponed until after the war.

Jury Finally Selected

The court, after a five-week struggle, finally got together a jury of 10 men and 2 women to decide the fate of the alleged seditionists, and also picked 2 men to serve as alternates in event any of the regular jurors become incapacitated during the anticipated long trial.

Completion of this preliminary cleared the way for the Government to begin actual prosecution. O. John Rogge, chief Federal prosecutor, announced after the jury had been sworn that his opening statement is prepared and would be read as soon as court reconvenes this morning at 10 o'clock. Barring unforseen delays, he estimated, it would take him about two hours to outline the activities of the 29 defendants that

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3300 on Strike

Seizure of 13 Detroit Plants Seen if WLB Hearing Fails

By Ben W. Gilbert

With the War Department alarmed about continuation of the strike of 3300 foremen, Government seizure of the 13 Detroit war plants affected loomed as likely last night unless an emergency War Labor Board hearing scheduled for 10 a. m. today succeeds in ending the walkout.

The War Labor Board summoned the entire ten-man executive board of the recently formed Foremen's Association of America, to the hearing "to show cause why the board should not immediately take all steps necessary to invoke the sanctions and penalties provided by the War Labor Disputes Act and the executive orders of the President to require the striking foremen to return to their jobs in compliance with the board's previous orders."

So serious does the Government view the 2½-week-old stoppage that informed officials expressed doubt that any time would be lost applying sanctions short of seizure. Once the plants are seized, the criminal penalties of the Anti-Strike Act would apply to active encouragement of the stoppage.

The strike closed the Packard Motor Co. employing 30,000 workers on aircraft and PT boat engines because, according to a management spokesman, the armed services refused to accept engines inspected without supervision.

The remaining plants—of five other companies—have continued to operate, but production has been hampered, it was understood.

Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson provided a broad hint that the Government was prepared to move fast to end the strike by commenting at a press conference that the matter might be laid before War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes before nightfall.

The strike threatens to stop production of P-51 Mustang long-range fighters and is otherwise impeding war aircraft output, aPtterson said. Packard was the sole source of the new Rolls-Royce 1650 engine used in the R-51, Patterson said.

Patterson stated that the fore-

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Roosevelt Has Enough Votes to Win

4 States Give Him 104 More; His Total Moves to 677 With Only 589 Needed

By D. Harold Oliver

Associated Press Staff Writer

New Jersey and California Democrats put 86 more delegates in President Roosevelt's column in primary voting yesterday and pushed his total far above the required majority for another nomination two months in advance of the party's national convention.

Just for good measure, party leaders counted eight more for the President from Delaware and a possible ten from Montana, and Delaware partisans heard Senator Tunnell (D., Del.), call for the "forced induction" of the chief executive to stand for a fourth term.

The four States, including New Jersey's 34 and California's 52, added 104 to the Roosevelt pledged and claimed delegate strength and brought his total to 677, with only 589 needed. Four years ago at this time he lacked 67 for a third nomination, but fewer delegates had been chosen then.

Warren Gets 50 Votes

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York appeared assured of New Jersey's 35 GOP delegates elected in another primary yesterday, while California Republicans put their favorite son into the presidential picture by choosing 50 delegates nominally pledged to Gov. Earl Warren, GOP convention keynoter.

Dewey's total pledged and claimed delegates for the Republican presidential nomination thus climbed to 303. The Republican nominating majority is 530.

While it is unlikely the New Yorker will have enough pledges and delegates otoherwise supporting him, before the national convention opens June 26, a mathematical possibility exists. Pennsylvania's uninstructed delegation of 70 holds a caucus Saturday with strong Dewey leanings reported by state leaders and 173 GOP delegates remain to be selected in conventions.

Senatorial Primaries

California's delegate elections were without contest in either party. Only minor contests were involved in the New Jersey delegate voting.

California's senatorial primary held chief interest in that State, with a flock of candidates cross-filed in both major parties for nominations to fill the seat now held by Sheridan Downey, Democrat. Candidates for 23 House memberships also were elected. The cross-firing made it theoretically possible for both Republicans and Democrats to nominate the same man.

Senatorial nominees for a short term in New Jersey also were chosen as well as candidates for 14 House seats. Representative Elmer Wene was unopposed for the Democratic senatorial nomniation for the remanider of the term of the late W. Warren Barbour, Republican, whose place has been filled temporarily by the appointment of Senator Arthur Walsh, Democrat. Walsh is returning to private business.

H. Alexander Smith, former Republican national committeeman opposed Andrew O. Wittreich, for the GOP senatorial nomination, with Smith having the backing of the New Jersey party organization.

90-Degree Heat Forecast Today, Passing 1944 Top

Washingtonians will swelter today under 90-degree heat after yesterday's highest temperature of the year, the Weather Bureau predicted yesterday.

From yesterday's low of 64 at 6:08 a. m., the temperature rose to 89 degrees at 1 and 5 p. m. Last year on the corresponding date, the high and low were 77 and 56 degrees, respectively. The humidity was 72 per cent at 2:30 a. m. and 29 per cent at 2:30 p. m. The highest previous temperature of the year was 88 degrees on Monday and last Saturday.

The Weather Bureau forecast for today is "fair and continued warm with highest temperature around 90 degrees."

Baby Killed by Tractor

Gettysburg, Pa., May 16.—Funeral services were held today for Ruth Jean Fox, aged 17 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Fox of Franklin township, near Cashtown, who was killed under the wheel of a farm tractor her father was backing into a shed.

Youthful German Prisoners

Associated Press Wirephoto Via OWI Radio

SCARCELY VETERANS—These three youths, members of German units opposing the Allied Fifth Army in Italy, were taken prisoner Saturday during the second day of the new offensive south of Cassino

Chinese Retake 2d Town on Key Railway

Japs Hurl Tanks In All-Out Drive To Capture Loyang

Chungking, May 16 (AP).—Chinese forces have thrown the Japanese out of a second town on the vital Peiping-Hankow north-south railway in central China, the Chinese high command announced today.

A communique said the Chinese had recaptured Chumatien, where Japanese forces driving along the Peiping-Hankow railway from north and south had joined on May 9. The town, 120 miles south of Chenghsien, was the second retaken by the Chinese since the enemy held complete control of the railway. Suiping, 12 miles north of Chumatien, previously was recaptured.

The Chinese reported the battle for the ancient city of Loyang, in Honan Province, was growing in intensity, with the Japanese hurling tanks in repeated attacks at the outskirts of the city in an effort to smash the Chinese lines and take it by storm.

In a battle on the plains southwest of Sinan, 20 miles west of Loyang, the Japanese were reported using more than 200 tanks.

West of Loyang, occupation of Kuanyintang by enemy forces striking southward from Shansi Province aroused fresh speculation as to whether the invaders intended to push on to Tungwan, gateway city to China's northwest. The enemy was driving from Kuanyintang toward Changmaochen, 63 miles east of Tungwan.

Navy Airship Crash Kills 11 of Crew in Training

Philadelphia, May 16 (AP).—A Navy training airship crashed into a hangar at the Lakehurst, N. J., Naval Air Station today, and six officers and four enlisted men were killed, the Fourth Naval District announced.

The eleventh member of the crew is in a critical condition.

"The airship was making training landings and takeoffs," the announcement said. "The ships came in over the landing mat and make short runs on the wheel, and then take off again. This is done without a ground crew. During the takeoff of this landing, the student pilots failed to clear the west end of the hangar by 10 feet.

"The car crashed into the hangar and the envelope ripped, causing the car to plunge 258 feet to the ground."

Merchant Marine To Take Boys of 16 If Parents Consent

Youths between the ages of 16 and 17½ years old are now permitted to enlist in the Merchant Marine provided they have their parents, consent, the War Shipping Administration announced yesterday.

No men between the ages of 18 and 26 are now being enrolled, the WSA said, except those classified by Selective Service in any F or L classification, or in 1-C.

Also sought for enlistment are all qualified men over the age of 26 and less than 35½ for the deck and engine departments, or less than 50½ for the stewards' department.

Tito Reference To Mihailovic Barred Story

By the Associated Press

An Associated Press interview with Marshal Josip Broz (Tito), submitted to censorship of the Allied Mediterranean Command April 30, still is refused clearance largely because of a paragraph in which the Yugoslav Partisan leader refers to his rival, Gen. Draja Mihailovic.

Edward Kennedy, Associated Press chief in the Mediterranean theater, asserted yesterday that suppression of this paragraph was "purely on political consilerations with no question of security involved" and added that he was assured by Yugoslav Partisan officials that Marshal Tito shared this opinion.

Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, commander in chief in the Mediterranean, said on assuming his command last January that he did not propose to have political censorship.

The interview was obtained by Joseph Morton, reporter, then stationed at Bari, Italy, by sending questions to Tito's headquarters and receiving the marshal's personally written replies.

The censors deleted some passages, asserting this was done for military reasons. Kennedy said he had since been informed by Tito's representatives that the marshal agreed to all these deletions except that o fthe paragraph referring to Mihailovic.

Tito and Mihailovic, War Minister of the Yugoslav government in exile and commander of that regime's forces within Yugoslavia, long have been enemies.

Kennedy reported to New York that the original principal reason offered by censorship for halting the Tito interview was the fact that the Yugoslav mission is now in London negotiating points raised and hence we do not want Tito to use popular pressure against Allied policy." Since then other reasons, some contradictory, have been given, Kennedy said.

New Thrust Puts Japs Near Indian Border

But Chinese Troops Continue to Advance In Salween Sector

Kandy, Ceylon, May 16 (AP).—Japanese troops have stabbed close to the borders of India in a new thrust far to the southwest of Imphal, Allied headquarters disclosed today, whise across Burma to the east, Chinese forces continued to pour across the Salween River in a coordinated Allied drive to crush Japan's ambitions in India and reopen the road to China.

The new Japanese thrust was revealed in a communique which said an enemy attack was repulsed 10 miles west of Daletme, which is only 11 miles east of the India frontier and 220 miles southwest of Imphal, Allied base on the Indian plain of Manipur, where previous Japanese penetrations are slowly being driven back.

Daletme, in hte Kaladan River Valley, lies about 50 miles northeast of Buthedaung, high water mark of the British spring advance against Akyab on te Bay of Bengal. Buthedaung recently was abandoned for more defensible positions following a Japanese flanking thrust ni the vicinity of Paletwa, 35 miles to the northeast.

Salween Drive

The Chinese drive on the Salween front, meanwhile, was regarded here as having been launched at the most opportune time—when the Japanese have deeply committed more than 100,000 troops elsewhere in Burma and have little or no chance of meeting the new offensive successfully.

(The Chinese high command announced in Chungking that its forces had captured several strategic points in a further advance west of the Salween River. Supported by American planes, the Chinese were reported to have advanced through the important Mamien Pass, 40 miles northeast of the Japanese base of Tenhchung. This lies about 110 airline miles southeast of the positions held by

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British Talks Recalled

Senate Unit Asks Hull to Give Status of U. S. Aviation Policy

By the Associated Press

Senators on a postwar aviation committee turned yesterday to Secretary of State Hull for enlightenment on British reports of American sponsorship of a broad freedom-of-the-air policy for peacetime flying.

Although members of the group would not talk for publication, it became known that they have approved a letter addressed to Hull asking:

1. The text of remarks Lord Beaverbrook, Lord Privy Seal, made to the House of Lords May 10 in which he reportedly asserted Britain had abandoned a Canadian-backed plan for central aviation control and had turned toward what was described as an American-sponsored idea based on the right to fly, to set down passengers, mail and cargo, and to pick them up anywhere in the world.

2. Complete data on any commitments Adolf A. Merle, jr., Assistant Secretary of State, may have discussed in his recent conversations with Beaverbrook in London.

The letter to Hull was reported by members at the time of his last appearance before the committee, to have given an account of the discussions which did not tally with Beaverbrook's reported description o fthe American policy.

"Not a member of our committee favors such a policy," one said yesterday. "We have every reason to believe from testimony so far that no such an idea has been advanced under American sponsorship."

Berle told a press conference in London, April 8, with Beaverbrook present, that a preliminary

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agreement had been reached that all nations should allow other countries access to enough airfields to maintain communications.

Last October, President Roosevelt said at a news conference that he and Prime Minister Winston Churchill had agreed there should be freedom of the air. He added that a country should control its own internal aviation.

Flank Attack Threatens Cassino and Rome Valley

Nazis Routed From Liri Hill Defenses; French and Yanks Take Dozen Towns

Naples, May 16 (AP).—Vesngeful French troops, after smashing through up to eight miles in the center of the Germans' Gustav Line, tonight threatened to outflank the enemy's entire defense system guarding Cassino and the mouth of the Liri Valley leading to Rome.

The swift French advance between the Americans on the south and the British on the north already had routed the Nazis from the first line of hills overlooking the Liri Valley and had eliminated one great advantage the enemy previously held—direct observation of all Allied movements across the lowland approaches.

Capture Dozen Towns

Altogether the French and American forces of the Fifty Army captured at least a dozen towns and commanding heights between Cassino and the sea.

The British have thrown hundreds of tanks across the Rapido River near Sant' Angelo in readiness for a direct smash into the Liri Valley, and this concentration of fast-moving armor would complicate any enemy efforts at an orderly withdrawal from the Cassino area to avoid the French flanking attack.

It was announced officially that Gen. Alphonse Juin's French, who have won the unqualified plaudits of their allies since the offensive began last Thursday night, were forging on northward and westward from their two latest points of advance—the town of San Giorgio, seven miles southwest of Cassino, and 3800-foot Monte Famera, four miles southwest of San Giorgio.

Americans Take Spigno

American troops occupied the lofty German stronghold of Spigno, fourfour miles from the Gulf of Gaeta, after a fierce fight on the approaches of the rubbled town, and were reported engaged in a hard struggle for Castellonorato, between Spigno and the coast. The most advanced American units seized Mount Cavita, about a mile southwest of Spigno, and captured an entire enemy artillery battery of eight guns there.

Front dispatches said there was evidence the Germans were withdrawing their infantry from the American sector—possibly back to the Adolf Hitler Line—and leaving artillery to fight a delaying action. Two captured Nazi artillerymen complained that th eiirnfantry "ran like hell."

An Allied communique said the advancing forces "maintained the impetus of their attack," and the official count of German prisoners passed the 3000 mark. The Nazi seventy-first division had been badly chewed up by the French, and a regiment of the forty-fourth division virtually destroyed.

Tougher Going Ahead

Allied casualties, on the other hand, have been "less than we expected," said a member of Gen. Sir

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Allied Planes Deal Heavy New Blows In Wadke Area

Allied Headquarters, New Guinea (Wednesday)), May 17 (AP).—The Allied Air Forces have delivered new heavy blows on the Wadke-Sarmi area of Dutch New Guinea, immediately northwest of the American holdings at Hollandia.

Headquarters reported today that 200 tons of explosives were dropped Sunday in the Wadke area. It was the third straight blow there.

Ranging on beyond there to the Schouten Islands, 260 miles from Hollandia, other raiders ran into sharp enemy opposition. Fighters shot down five out of 20 Japanese interceptors.

Japan island, south of the Shoutens, also was hit.

The by-passed sector of Wewak and Hansa Bay, New Guinea, was still another target.

Rabaul, New Britain, took its daily pounding and other south Pacific raiders ranged far northwest to hit Woleai, in the Carolines.

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Confusion Rife

Half Million Flee Italy Battle Zone

Bern, Switzerland, May 16 (AP).—The Allied push, coupled wtih bombings and partisan sabotage, has disrupted food deliveries and thrown Italy into the greatest confusion since the days following Mussolini's ouster, it was reported today.

Swiss dispatches from the border said at least 500,000 Italians were fleeing the southern war zone and have pushed into Rome, which already is short of housing, with 100,000 persons bombed out of their homes.

Virtually no rail communications exist from Florence southward, the dispatches said, and it has been impossible to shunt the refugees northward. Trucks and planes alone are available for transporting food to the south, it was said.

Italian Partisans Active

Italian partisans, their numbers growing, have launched a series of hit-and-run offensives, frontier reports disclosed.

Fights between Fascists and anti-Fascists were reported from northern Italy.

The Swiss Telegraphic Agency in a dispatch from Chiasso listed these details:

A group of partisans appeared at a small village in the Apennines, asking amnesty under a decree by Mussolini. When police arrived to inspect them the partisans drew guns, killed two of the police, then fled.

Warehouses Set Afire

Saboteurs have fired a large construction company's warehouses at Bellinzona.

Partisans killed a Fascist lieutenant, who refused to surrender his arms near Gallarate.

Cutting telephone and telegraph lines, the partisans encircled the Carbinieri in Piacenza and fought a battle with heavy casualties to both sides.

A communique from the national committee of resistance said there was open fighting in Lombardy, Piedmont and Toscano, with youths fleeing conscription reinforcing the partisan forces.

Rommel Reported Expecting Main Push in Normandy

London, May 16 (INS).—The London Daily Mail stated tonight that the entire United States Army in Britain, with the exception of units in transit, had been confined to barracks for 24 hours, ending at midnight, in order to check up on the credentials of every American soldier. This report was not immediately confirmed by other sources.

Rommel Inspects "Wall"

London, May 16 (AP).—Nazi Field Marshal Erwin Rommel has completed what may be his last personal inspection of the German Atlantic Wall, devoting hsi closest attention to Normandy and its Cherbourg Peninsula, the Berlin radio said today.

German dispatches to newspapers of neutral Sweden said the Allies were expected to make their main assault against Normandy, directly across the Channel from England, but to make many other invasions all the way from Norway to the Bay of Biscay.

Among the possibilities discussed was a direct attack on Germany's dune-fringed northwest coast in a thrust toward Hamburg.

Pictures Published

In Britain, newspaper readers studied press pictures showing massed United States tank and troop landing craft at British bases. Large landing craft flying the Stars and Stripes were shown, captioned "Ready for Invasion Call."

The British were clearing their calendar for whatever may come, and whenever it may come.

Because of uncertainty over rail traffic facilities, the national leadership of the Labor Party postponed its national conferences, scheduled here for the weekend of May 28 and the Church of England cancelled plans for a summer session meeting June 19.

Called Curtain-raiser

In unison the Axis radio chorus called the Italian offensive a curtain-raiser of the "composite invasion pattren" in which the next act was likely to be a Russian offnsieve that "might break loose at any moment and be a sign for the Allies in the west."

Moscow radio's commentator, I. Yermashev, in a broadcast to Soviet armies recorded by Reuters, declared: "The Red Army is ready to pursue the enemy from the east and deliver the coup de grace in his own liar in conjunction with the Anglo-American armies."

Lieut. Gen. Kurt Dietmar, German commentator, said "we know only too well the elements of uncertainty that are factors of war. There is no such thing as complete preparedness."

SKF Branches In U. S. Lauded By Officials

The Treasury and the Alien Property Custodian gave a pat on the back yesterday to the American subsidiaries of SKF, the Swedish ball-bearing company whose output the Allies are trying to get away from Germany.

In a joint statement, the two Government agencies which have been investigating SKF Industries of Philadelphia and SKF Steel of New York said they had undertaken the inquiry to determine the ownership and control of the Swedish parent firm.

They said this should not be interpreted as any reflection on the management or employes of the two subsidiaries.

They said both the War and Navy Departments had advised them that the entire production of SKF Industries and SKF Steel contributes to the war effort of this country and its Allies, and that this production is vital.

To Reassure Employes

"Both the War and Navy Departments also confirm," the statement said, "that SKF Industries and SKF Steel have excellent records for war production, and stated that any serious loss of production at those companies would have an immediate and serious effect on the production of war munitions needed for planned operations."

This apparently was designed to reassure any employes of the American subsidiaries who might be concerned over their employers' connections wit hthe Swedish firm.

The United States, Britain and Russia are cooperating in diplomatic efforts to have Sweden halt ballbearing shipments to Germany. Purchase of the Swedish output by the United States is one of the possibilities, backed up by the threat of strong economic measures.

Favors End of Shipments

Philadelphia, May 16 (AP).—William L. Batt, president of SKF Industries, Inc., told employes of three of the company's plants here today that he believes Sweden should end shipments of ball bearings to Germany.

Batt declared, "in no way do Nazis influence, control or dominate the parent company." He said he had been informed that 99½ per cent of the SKF firm abroad was held by Swedes.

"I am in no way offering a defense of Sweden," Batt, vice chairman of the War Production Board, asserted, "but I feel strongly that it should eliminate shipments of bearings to Germany."

Batt said 75 per cent of SKF in this country is owned by Swedes, but since 1941 the shares have been placed in a trust which he alone controls. Some dividends have gone to Swedish stockholders, he added.

He said rumors of Nazi control of SKF were a "perfect set-up for Hitler to pull down American production," and called reports of SKF aid here to the Germans "an outrageous misstatement, without an iota of truth."

Allied Shells Bury Nazi Tank

Associated Press Photo Via Signal Corps Radio

ALL ITS FIGHT KNOCKED OUT—This German tank is almost completely buried beneath rubble after heavy Allied bombardment of buildings in the Castelforte area during the new Allied offensive in Italy

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Harold Alexander's staff. He warned that progress from now on would be slower and said the Hitler Line contained prefabricated steel pillboxes set in concrete. Capture of the road running from Ausonia south to the coast will be of great help in supplying advanced French and American troops, he said.

German prisoners pouring back along the dusty roads toward the Allied rear appeared to be younger than those taken earlier in the Italian fighting, and some obviously were bewildered by the great artillery barrage whcih preceded the Allied attack.

The French, in their pursuit of disorganized remnants of the Nazi 71st Divisoin, appeared certain to capture the town of Esperia, two miles northwest of their last announced position, and to jeopardize the German grip on Pontecorvo, an important road junction, and crossing of the Liri River nine miles west of Cassino. Capture of Pontecorvo would make enemy positions in the Cassino area untenable.

Entire Staff Seized

In the course of Monday's advance, the French captured Cresta Santa Lucia nad Leforche, southwest of San Giorgio. and in the area between took the villages of Casale, Annunziata and Castel Nuovo. General Juin's swift moving troops captured the commander of a German grenadier regiment and his entire headquarters staff.

Announced gains in the seacoast sector brought the Americans within four miles of the port of Formia, which can be approached only along a narrow coastal corridor pinched between the high Aurunci mountains an dthe Gulf of Gaeta.

A continued assault toward Formia, if attempted, would bring the Americans under fire both from an imposing array of enemy guns commanding the coastal strip and from a heavy concentration of long-range artillery massed in the Formia area. For four days American and British cruisers have been pumping shells into these enemy gun positions and ammunition dumps.

Sharp tank and artillery duels and steary infantry fighting raged around the British-Indian bridgehead over the Rapido River, some three miles south of Cassino. The bridgehead now was almost two miles deep, pointed directly at Pignataro, Nazi strongpoint guarding the mouth of the Liri Valley. And it was crammed with allied armor, ready to strike the instant the French flanking drive sufficiently weakened the Nazis' position.

Poor weather grounded Allied heavy bombers yesterday, but lighter craft flew 1800 sorties in support of ground forces and in attacks on gun positions, supply dumps, bridges and motor thansport. Eight Allied planes were missing and seven enemy craft were reported destroyed.

Dr. Jarmon to Speak

Manassas, Va., May 16.—Dr. H. B. Jarmon, director of instruction in Arlington County, will be guest speaker at a meeting of the Manassas Parent-Teacher Association to be held at 8 p.m. Thursday in the auditorium of the Osbourn High School.

BURMA

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Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's forces pushing the two lane Ledo Road from India toward the enemy base of Myitkyina in North Burma.

(The Tokyo radio said Japanese troops had dealt "crushing blows" to the Chinese and termed the drive a "miserable failure.")

Clear Road Block

In the Kohima area 65 miles northeast of Imphal, tank supported Allied troops have cleared an enemy road block at Kohima Junction, the communique said. Reports reaching headquarters said the enemy had ordered his troops t ohold out at all costs.

A Reuters correspondent on the Kohima Front reported the whole of Kohima Ridge—key to the entire Kohima area—now was in Allied hands after a 40-day pitched battle which cost the Japanese more than 3000 dead and the Allies a nadmittedly heavy number of casualties with a high proportion of officers.

The correspondent called the battle, fought by British troops with supplies dropped by American planes ,the biggest and bloodiest yet waged on the Indo-Burma Front. When Japanese positions had been softened, he said, Allied tanks moved in and pulverized bunkers with armor-piercing shells. Then came the easier job of clearing Naga village and Treasury Hill on the eastern side of the Manipur Road. A large part of the village has fallen to the Allies, he added, but the enemy still holds the southern outskirts.

Wipe Out Enemy's Pockets

Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's forces driving down the Mogaung Valley on both sides of the Mogaung River were wiping out Japanese pockets at Warong, northeast of Manpin, where his main forces are poised to drive on the Japanese base of Kamaing, 10 miles farther south. Burmese levies also drove ahead from the north toward the main Japanese base of Myitkyina.

Ranging widely on all fronts, allied aircraft struck at troop concentrations and communications with particular emphasis on targets behind the Japanese 18th division lines below Myitkyina, where airborne units have been doing the groundwork of cutting supply rail routes. Enemy bombers and fighters attacked an emergency airstrip held by American and Chinese forces in north Burma, causing a few casualties and slight damage.

MILLER

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The lone woman on the panel selected to hear the murder thial is Mrs. Olive D. Campbell, 4306 10th st. ne., auditor.

The other jurors are Leonard Avery, 210 Webster st. nw., foreman of the Washington Terminal; George S. Carll, jr., 4747 Fulton st. nw., Army and Navy Register reporter; Clarence Grosner, 2611 31st st. nw., president of Raleigh Haberdasher; Thomas J. Crowell, 42 V st. nw., fuel oils dealer; Frederick E. Dismer, 2701 14th st. nw., clerk.

Also Felix W. Altrup, 2615 42d st., technical engineer; Emery E. Brown, 5508 9th st. nw., Bureau of Engraving; Fred J. Kyttle, 1610 16th st. nw., Department of Agriculture administrative officer; Samuel S. Gheen, 1725 Kilbourne pl. nw., insurance agent; Norman W. Dodd, 4307 Ellicott st. nw., di-Transit Co.; and Percy A. Booth, vision superintendent of Capital 1814 M st. ne., treasurer of the National Theater.

Miller's Actions Described

Further actions of Miller the day of the crime were rescribed by Harry J. Harth, Washington lawyer and acquaintance of Miller.

"I saw him twice on Feb. 21, once in this building (Municipal Court) and on 5th and E sts. where I was waiting for a sreetcar." Harth said. At the latter time, Bob came bursting through the space between a lady and myself and hopped on the streetcar. His manner shocked me because on previous occasions I daresay that Bob was as polite a gentleman as I ever met."

The witness continued, "He seemed bewildered and in a daze. I di dall the talking during the ride downtown, and I got but one answer out of Mob when he stid he was bound for Woodward & Lothrop's."

Defense Attorney H. Mason Welch cross-examined him:

Q. What did you talk to Miller about?

A. I wanted to ask his advice on a client of mine who had jumped bond."

Q. Di dhe answer any questions intelligently?

A. He didn't make reply to anything except to grunt now and then—"uh-huh, uh-huh."

Q. Did he seem to understand you?

A. I don't believe Bob under-

A. I don't believe Bob understood what I was talking about. It went right by him. He seemed bewildered and in a daze.

SEDITION

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led to their roundup by the Government.

Defendant Sues Lawyer

As a prelude to the hectic developments of the day, Ernest P. Elmhurst of New York, one of the defendants, filed suit against his own attorney, Ira Chase Koehne, and Prosecutors Rogge and Joseph W. Burns for $100,000, alleging that this trio had set up an "unholy alliance" designed to "sabotage" his defense. Elmhurst subsequently dismissed Koehne as his counsel and the court appointed M. Edward Buckley to represent him.

Through the "unholy alliance," Elmhurst alleged in his petition, Koehne was to receive "certain benefits or rewards from Rogge and Burns" in exchange for furnishing the Government with information on what went on among the defendants at the sacrifice of the interests of Elmhurst.

The petition further declared that "at the proper time," Rogge and Burns would obtian dismissal of the charges against Elmhurst as well as three other defendants represented by Koehne.

The court room disturbance started off in squally fashion but developed cyclonic proportions when Lawrence Dennis of New York, one of the defendants who is acting as his own counsel arose to inquire if the court had considered his motion for a separate trial for three of his co-defendants, whom he alleged "are insane or of unsound mind" and incapable of understanding the proceedings or conducting a proper defense. He named Prescott Dennett, Edward James Smythe and Mrs. Lois de Lafayette Washburn.

Courtroom in Uproar

Justice Eicher responded that the motion had been denied in both of its parts, and Dennis continued to talk, amid a din created by the steady pounding of the court gavel and shouts by some of the defense attorneys for recognition.

"Marshall, will you seat Mr. Dennis," ordered Justice Eicher. A deputy marshal moved in the direction of the protesting defendant and he sat down as Justice Eicher stared at him and declared bluntly:

"Mr. Dennis, your motion has no place in this court and you have no standing to make such a motion."

The tranquillity that followed was short-lived. Big, husky voiced Smythe arose from a reserved seat in Row A, shook a finger at Justice Eicher and shouted:

"Your honor, you said I was incapable—".

"Will you sit down" commanded Justice Eicher.

"I demand a mental test," demanded Smythe.

"Marshal, will you eep Smythe at rest," ordered the court.

In the interim two of the defense attorneys exchanged heated words as Justice Eicher warned them they were "getting out of order." Even Chief Prosecutor Rogge leaped to his feet at one point with this appeal:

"Let's get to trial."

New Allied Gains

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

SOUTH OF CASSINO—Arrows indicate Allied drives on the battle front in Italy (black line). Major gains have been on the southern end of the line, where Americans have captured Spigno, while French, slightly to the north of the American forces, have taken Monte Fammera and San Giorgio

Reds Continue Blasting of Nazi Railroads

London, May 16 (AP).—Soviet airmen heavily bombed the Nazi-held rail city of Polotsk near the Latvian-Polish border last night, Moscow announced tonight, continuing an aerial campaign against German communications in the east similar to the Allied preinvasion assaults from the west.

There were "no essential changes" on the land front, said the broadcast bulletin.

During the recent lull in land fighting, the Red Air Force has been hammering German sea and land transportation in what both sides have said is a prelude to a large-scale Red Army offensive.

A DNB military correspondent reported the Russians massing in the Lwow-Kovel and northern Romanian regions.

"The only fighting on the eastern front was reported on the lower Dnestr and in the foreland of the Carpathians," the German communique said.

Illness Freed Jean Albery, Official Says

United States Attorney Edward M. Curran yesterday cited the physical condition of Jane Ann Albery, 19-year-old daughter of an Army colonel, indicted here Monday by the District grand jury, as the reason why he had released her in custody of her father, now stationed in Columbus, Ohio.

Curran said that following her confinement in Gallinger Hospital, where she was taken following injuries in the crash of a car in which she and four companions were fleeing police, she was kept under observation for two months at Walter Reed.

The girl, who is said by police to have participated in a minor crime wave with four 'teen age male companions now in the National Training School for Boys, was indicted for violation of the National Motor Vehicle Theft Act, grand larceny and housebreaking.

The decision to release her in the custody of her father came after Walter Reed officials reported Miss Albery was or cound mind but ni need of additional medical attention, Curran said.

It was his understanding, he said, that the girl had undergone an operation ni Columbus, and for a time there was a question if she would ever walk again. He added, however, he had been informed recently that she would return hree within three weeks for arraignment.

Mason Cites Need for Dog Leash Law

Commissioner Guy Mason, commenting on the current drive against rabies, said yesterday, "What Washington needs is a law compelling dog owners to keep dogs leashed in the city."

He added that there would be a board meeting of the Commissioners within the next couple of days at which time Corporation Counsel Richmond B. Keech would be asked to draft such a bill to present to Congress.

"Even at that," declared Mason, "it probably won't become a law during this session. So, in the meantime, we will just have to ask dog owners to cooperate and voluntarily keep their dogs tied up."

He went on to say that though there was an epidemic of rabies in Washington in 1925, it was "infinitesimal" compared to the present one. He attributes part of the great number of strays in Washington to the migration of dogs from the South, where droves of dogs, neglected since the start of meat rationing, have reverted to the wild state and started foraging for food in packs that are traveling northward.

He said that the city pound now has three trucks covering 70 miles a day each, and that additional funds and equipment were being arranged.

Another dog, which had bitten one person, was reported rapid yesterday by the District Health Department.

The dog was picked up last week in the 600 block of Cellan st. ne., after he was reported to have bitten a middle-aged white man. Dr. J. G. Cumming of the District Health Department said that both clinical and microscopic tests showed that the dog had rabies while it was confined and after it died at the District pound.

Eversharp Declares 2% Extra Dividend

Chicago, May 16 (AP).—Directors of Eversharp, Inc., announced today an extra dividend of 2 per cent in common stock plus the regular quarterly dividend of 30 cents a common share both payable July 15 to stockholders of record July 5.

At a stockholders meeting, Martin L. Straus, president, announced that sales and profits in the first 2½ months of the company's fiscal year were more than double a year ago.

Straus said: "We feel it is best to maintain a favorable cash position at this time. Our plans call for extensive expansion and development in our industry and success of such projects will partially depend on our financial ability. It is because of this that directors decided to authorize an extra dividend in stock on the common in place of the usual extra in cash."

R.-M. Academy Finals To Start on May 27

Front Royal, Va., May 16.—Randolph-Macon Academy will hold its fifty-second annual commencement exercises May 27-29, Col. John C. Boggs, principal, has announced.

The address to the graduating class on Monday morning, May 29, will be made by Fred Taylor Wilson of Washington, and Colonel Boggs will give diplomas to 43 members of the class.

A new service flag was unveiled and dedicated recently in honor of the 502 alumni who are in the armed forces and to the six men who have given their lives in service during the present war.

By Missionary

Of Christianit Gandhi View Is Recalled

By Robert Tate Allan

India Nationalist Leader Gandhi's attitude on Christianity was told yesterday by Dr. E. Stanley Jones, Methodist missionary to India.

Addressing the city-wide Spiritual-Life Mission noon day prayer service at New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, Dr. Jones said that his friend, Gandhi, a Christianized Hindu, gave him four suggestions for weaving Christianity into the national fabric of India.

Practice of Christianity

"He told me," said Dr. Jones, that 'You (the Christians) must practice your religion without adulterating it or toning it down; you Christians, especially missionaries, should begin to live more like Jesus Christ; should spread more the Gospel of love, and study non-Christian faiths to have a more sympathetic understanding of other faiths.'"

The Rev. Calvin H. Wingert, pastor of Grace Evangelical and Reformed Church, was devotional leader for the noonday program. The second phase of the service was a prayer service in the Lincoln Chapel, where the speakers were Abraham Vereide, director of the National Committee for Christian Leadership and Dr. Glenn Clark, writer and lecturer on prayer themes.

The programs at New York ave. will continue daily from 12:05 to 1:20 p. m., through Friday. A School of Prayer will be held Monday through Friday, from 3 to 4 p. m., to coach church workers on the techniques of leading prayer meetings.

Senate Breakfast Group

Dr. Jones, a native Marylander, will address the Senate breakfast group today at 8:30 a. m. in the Senate dining room. Senator Alexander Wiley (R., Wis.), is chairman of that group, and Senator Raymond E. Willis (R., Ind.), now ill with an eye affliction, is secretary.

A group of prominent citizens interested in the Mission will hold an inspirational meeting tonight at the home of Coleman Jennings, 1910 24th st. nw. Cosponsors will be Jennings and Francis Sayre, the latter former high commissioner to the Philippines.

Pray for Guidance

Worshipers at the Spiritual-Life Mission yesterday asked Divine guidance for Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of Selective Service, in considering the Protestant churches' protest against the ruling canceling draft deferments for predivinity students, effective July 1.

Dr. Glenn Clark, leading a prayer service in the Lincoln Chapel of New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, mentioned that churchmen were about to confer with Hershey, and asked prayers for the success of their mission. Members of the delegation were merely identified as "Dr. Ellis and Dr. Harkness." They were unable to see Hershey, but conferred briefly with other officials.

The Federal Council of Churches, New York City, representing major denominations, last week formally protested to Selective Service officials about the ruling.

The only divinity students under 26 wh owill be deferred after July 1 will be those actually in seminaries at that time. Protestant clergymen have charged that the ruling discriminates in favor of Catholics, who maintain junior seminaries, while Protestant faiths obtain pretheological training in secular schools.

STRIKES

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men's struggle for recognition was outside the jurisdiction of the War Department and added:

"eW have bombed German aircrfat engine factories. They don't need to bomb ours."

Executive action was not sought earlier, Patterson said, because the Government was not particularly concerned with the walkout until this week. Production was continuing without supervisors, it was understood. Parts and subassemblies for almost all Army planes are manufactured in the affected plants, he said.

The War Labor Board also summoned to the hearing Alfred Jackson, president of Aeronautical Products, Inc., t oexplain his action discharging 20 of the striking foremen in spite of a WLB request that all foremen willing to work be reinstated without discrimination.

Jackson was asked to appear only if he was refusing to comply with the board's reinstatement order. He then notified the board that he would be at the hearing. The summons was to "show cause why you should not take back all striking foremen desiring to return to work without discrimination because of their participation in the strike."

In an earlier telegram, Jackson said that the discharges were made in conformance "to our regular policy."

The foreman are fighting for thei rexistence as a supervisory union. The National Labor Relations Board has ruled that they are in the peculiar position of being entitled to protection from discharges for union activity—the original cause of the current strike—but that employers did not have to recognize them for purposes of collective bargaining.

Germans Raid British Coast Second Night

London, May 16 (AP).—The German airforce, striking for the second straight night, with possibly 300 planes in its own counter-invasion aerial offensive, attacked the southern coast of England last night, and the Berlin radio said today the assault was concentrated on Portsmouth.

Defensive forces shot down five planes as the Nazis came over in two waves shortly after midnight. Four other coastal towns felt enemy bombs. A hospital was hit, causing several casualties.

Allied operations from British bases Monday night were confined to attacks by Morquito planes against the industrial city of Ludwigshafen, objectives in northwest Germany, and an enemy airfield in France. Four aircraft failed to return from these and mine laying missions.

Allied aerial activity from British bases has been on a greatly reduced scale for the last 60 hours. It appeared to be a grim pause for more new, crushing blows.

In the German operation Sunday night against the southwest coast, the Nazis lost 15 planes.

The Nazi loss of only five planes Monday night was attributed to the fact that the German hit channel targets and did not cross England to the west coast, thus avoiding the longer exposure to British defenses.

District P-TA To Discuss Postwar Era

Religious, educational, and emotional training for postwar living will be discussed by 700 members of the D. C. Congress of Parents and Teachers at a two-day conference beginning today at 10 a. m. in the Departmental Auditorium, 12th and Constitution av. nw.

Dr. Alice Sowers, vice president of the National Congress will open the Conference. Speakers tomorrow will be Dr. James Harold Fox, dean of the George Washington University school of education, who will speak on the parents' role in raising postwar citizens; Dr. Beatrice Belre, chief medical officer of the War Production Board, who will speak on "Emotional Adjustment in the Postwar Period," and a speaker from the morale services division of the Army who will tell about educational opportunities offered by the armed forces.

A morning session tomorrow will include speeches by Dr. Elise Martens of the Office of Education; Dr. Willard Givens, executive secretary of the National Education Association, who will discuss better pay for teachers, and Dr. Joy Elmer Morgan, editor of the NEa Journal.

Officers will be elected and installed Thursday forenoon. An evening banquet at the Mayflower that evening will feature an address by the Rev. Francis McPeek, who will discuss "Present Day Problems of Young People in the District and What Parents Can Do to Help."

Norfolk
New Victory Schedule
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Leave Washington:
8:15 a.m. | 2:55 p.m.
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The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Agriculture Bill Rider Banning Politics Killed

The Senate Appropriations Committee yesterday knocked the anti-politics rider from the Agriculture appropriation bill which would have denied all political rights, except voting, to the 75,000 full-time Agriculture employes. Members felt the House-approved rider was not only discriminatory, but also unconstitutional . . . And the Senate committee also appears to be set to kill another House rider because it would discriminate against draft-age Interior Department employes. This rider to the Interior bill would force many deferred Interior employes out of jobs. Not only has Secretary Ickes protested against the rider, but it has been labeled as discriminatory and unworkable by Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service director, and Comptroller General Lindsey Warren. Warren also denounced the Agriculture rider as almost impossible to enforce.

A national housing official tomorrow will be notified that he has won a ten thousand dollod prize for postwar plans.

MAID SHORTAGE: Two of the speakers Saturday at the induction of 700 cadet nurses into the U. S. Cadet Corps were Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Miss Helen Hayes, the actress. During the ceremony, the First Lady leaned over and invited Miss Hayes to have tea with her later at the White House. Miss Hayes' husband, Lieut. Col. Charles MacArthur, and their two children were seated near the rear of Constitution Hall, and when the program was over the actress rushed to tell her husband of the invitation.. "But what'll we do with the children?" he asked. That was a real problem, but the MacArthurs showed up at the White House on the dot. About an hour later Miss Hayes announced that they had to leave. Mrs. Roosevelt insisted that they stay longer.

"But we have to leave," Miss Hayes explained, "You see, we left our children over in Lafayette Park."

The State Department yesterday was given $2,640,000 additional for salaries during the 1945 fiscal year that starts July 1, by the Senate Appropriations Committee. The money would be used to pay the salaries of 789 employes. However, many of these already are on the payroll, but more people are yet to be hired. The department now pays the salaries of 418 employes with money allocated from the President's fund and these people would be transferred to the regular roll. Another 371 employes were authorized in the first deficiency bill and part of the Senate increase would be used to pay their salaries for a full year. The Senate committee also gave the department the authority to contract wih privae firms for technical information and the preparation of maps, globes, etc.

Agriculture agencies received a number of small increases from the committee. The solicitor's office was given $100,000 additional which will prevent it from cutting from 30 to 40 people from its staff; the heavily-cut Bureau of Agricultural Economics had its budget increased by $150.000 and a provision was added which will keep it from reducing drastically its Washington staff; Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils and Engineering, $140,904; Forest Service, $3,860,938; wage stabilization, $400,000; administration of food distribution orders, $1,100,000; Commodity Credit $12,500,000; liquidating expenses for Federal Crop Insurance was increased from $100,000 to $420,000, and $750,000 for salaries was recommended for Farm Security to carry on the Farm Tenant Act.

If the Senate version becomes law, several hundred veterinarians, meat and lviestock inspectors in Agriculture's Bureau of Animal Industry will be given pay raises. The committee recommended $995,384 to reclassify their salaries. The reallocations have the approval of Civil Service and the Budget Bureau, but the House knocked out the money on the ground that no Federal employe should be given more than a 21.6 per cent increase during the war, the amount provided in the overtime pay bill for a 48-hour week. Agriculture officials warned the Senators that meat inspection would suffer unless the job were reclassified, as it was almost impossible to hire people for the job.

In a move to recruit high school students on summer vacations, the Civil Service Commission yesterterday lowered the minimum age limit for junior stenographer, senior typist, and junior clerk to 16. Base pay of the jobs is $1440 and overtime runs them up to $1752. Applicants must live within a 50-mile radius of this city. No experience is required. The commission also has started a nation-wide recruiting campaign to bring several thousands more clerical workers here . . . Federal employes are urged to attend the I AM AN AMERICAN DAY ceremonies that will be held at 4:30 Sunday at the Sylvan Theater . . . Top Federal officials will participate in the better management conference that will be held today and tomorrow at the Statler.

Rival Slates Nominated at AFL Parley

BULLETIN

Richmond, Va., May 16 (AP).—The administration group of the Virginia State Federation of Labor won an overwhelming victory late today in electing its slate headed by President William F. Patrick of Richmond over a ticket offered by a faction known as the State-wide group. The latter group, in whcih State Labor Commissioner John Hopkins Hall was actively interested, failed to elect a single nominee.

Richmond, Va., May 16 (AP).—William F. Patrick of Richmond, the incumbent, was nominated for another term as president of the Virginia State Federation of Labor today at a caucus held by the administration forces.

Patrick, who was elected to head the federation last year, won the nomination over Paul A. Askew of Norfolk. The name of Askew was offered in spite of the fact he heads the slate offered by the Progressive workers group.

A delegate offered objection to the placing of the name of Askew before the caucus, but the caucus chairman, Jack Smith of Newport News, held that he could not rule directly on elimination of Askew's name.

Board Nominees Listed

Smith was nominated first vice president and I. C. Wilsted of Norfolk, the present incumbent, was nominated for secretary-treasurer. The incumbent vice president is Sallie Clinebell, Lynchburg.

The administration group nominated for the executive board George D. Hardman of Alexandria, R. S. Ricketts of Lynchburg, S. W. Aardemo of Newport News, William Robertson of Richmond, L. H. Blanks of Portsmouth, C. B. McCoy of Roanoke, C. S. Bartley of Covington, A. L. Buckner of Norfolk, J. D. Rapp of Clifton Force, J. A. Titmus of Petersburg, F. C. Codding of Hopewell, K. W. Lutz of Bristol; and as delegates at large, Dave Alston of Norfolk, St. Elmo Reede of Richmond and William Gray of Alexandria.

Nominated i na caucus last night for the slate representing the so-called "State-wide group" were Joe Rossano of Portsmouth, president; Oscar E. Barnes, Alexandria; vice president, and John Q. Butler, Newport News, secretary-treasurer.

Described by Chairman J. Fred Cherry of Norfolk as representing the conservative element of the State federation, th faction was pledged to the support of the slate of thre officers and nominees for the executive council.

Rival Board Nominees

Nominees are H. T. McIntire, of Alexandria; J. E. Hughes, Covington; L. H. Jackson, Fredericksburg; Miss Elizabeth Wright, Lawrenceville; F. W. Earley, Charlottesville; W. E. Bunn, Portsmouth; Mac H. Bailey, Richmond; W. C. McCormick, (Cap M), Roanoke; R. F. Lynch, South Boston; Chester White, Austinville; W. E. Pearson, Petersburg; and delegates-at-large, Fred Trotman, Nodfolk; John Hall, Petersburg and Robert L. Bates, Quantico.

Ray C. Kirkpatrick, director of labor relations for the Federal Works Agency, advocated establishment of a "huge reservoir filled with plans and blueprints for needed federal works, federal, state an municipal, to be constructed after the war,' in an address before the convention today.

"If at the end of the war private business is able to provide all of the jobs necessary I would keep my spigot of the reservoir tightly turned off," he said. "On the ather hand, if private business is unable to provide all the jobs necessary, Iwould open up the spigot and produce as large a volume of public work as might be necessary to prevent a little unemployment from spiralling downward into full scale unemployment.

"Labor has the principal state in this insurance against calamity. If labor will not exert itself to see that our reservoir is filled, who will do it?" Kirkpatrick asked.

Passing on credentials occupied much of the opening day's time.

2 Suspects Held In Gang Assault On Ex-Soldier

Baltimore, May 16 (AP).—Two suspects were held and several others sought today by Baltimore police for the attack by a Negro gang last night on Lester C. Pearson a few hours after four policemen were acquitted of charges of assaulting the former soldier May 1.

No charges were made against the suspects of last night's attack.

Pearson's sisters, who were with him last night, reported that they and their brother, a 21-year-old former soldier discharged from the Army for physical disability, were on their way home when Pearson stopped to talk to a girl. The sisters said at the same moment a band of Negroes came down the street and began pummeling him.

Manassas Flier Honored

Manassas, Va., May 16.—Staff Sergt. Kite Roseberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Roseberry of Manassas, has been awarded the Air Medal for participation in missions abroad. He is a graduate of the Manassas High School.

Md. Officers Abroad

Associated Press Photo

IN ENGLISH HOSPITAL—In the officers' ward of a United States Army Hospital in England are these two Marylanders: Capt. W. Warfield Ridgely (left) of Baltimore, and Lieut. Col. Byron D. Greene of Round Bay. Captain Ridgely was in the hospital for a medical checkup and Lieutenant Colonel Greene is recovering from pneumonia

12 More Md. Soldiers on Captive List

By the Associated Press

The War Department disclosed yesterday the names of 12 Maryland soldiers who are held prisoners of war by Germany and 9 other Marylanders missing in action.

Among the captives were: Staff Sergt. Clifton W. Malcolm, husband of Mrs. Lauretta Malcolm, Cumberland; Pvt. Cecil H. Marks, husband of Mrs. Gladys A. Marks, 141 Ray st., Hagerstown; Tech. Sergt. James R. Merson, son of Mrs. Ethel M. Merson, Laurel; Tech. Sergt. Otis W. Moomaw, husband of Mrs. Margaret E. Moomaw, Lonaconing; Second Lieut. Willard W. Morley, Frostburg. The others were from Baltimore.

Among those listed as missing in action were Second Lieut. John S. Fulks, jr., son of Mrs. J. S. Fulks of 4819 St. Elmo ave., Bethesda; Tech. Sergt. Hugh F. Moore, son of Mrs. Emma E. Moore of Elkton. The others were from Baltimore.

12 Va. Soldiers Missing in Action

Twelve Virginia soldiers have been reported missing in action, nine in Europe and three in the Mediterranean area, the War Department announced yesterday. The men and their nearest of kin are:

Europe—Lieut. George W. Askew, jr., whose wife, Mrs. Evelyn R. Askew, lives at Hampton; Lieut. Richard D. Cooke, jjr., son of Richard D. Cooke, sr., Norfolk; Sergt. Pat B. Parks, son of Mrs. Maggie W. Parks, Tangier; Lieut. Martin W. Taylor, son of Mrs. Florence W. Taylor, Norfolk; Technical Sergt. Paul W. Trump, son of Mrs. James Trump, Shawsville; Second Lieut. Edwin M. Ward, jr., whose wife, Mrs. Eulene S. Ward, lives at Clifton; Lieut. Warren T. White, jr., whose wife Mrs. Frances D. White, lives at Norfolk; Staff Sergt. Calvert S. Whitehurst, jr., son of Mrs. Laura T. Whitehurst, Norfolk, and Staff Sergt. Hubery Yearney, son of Albert Yearny, Richmond.

Mediterranean — Staff Sergt. Flave B. Gibbs, son of Mrs. Mary C. Gibbs, Back Bay; Pvt. Jacob L. Harrison, Broadway, and Second Lieut. Alfred F. Odom, whose wife. Mrs. Margaret Ann Odom, lives at 1201 26th st. s., Arlington.

Va. Naval Officer Writes From Prison Camp in Japan

Norfolk, Va., May 16 (AP).—Lieut. Comdr. James W. Haviland, 3d., USN, who was captured by the Japanese at the fall f Guam, has written from the Zentzuji war prison camp in Japan that he is well and getting along all right, but that his last letters from home were dated June, 1942.

In the first letter received by his wife, who lives here, the officer wrote that he had just gotten, in July, 1943—a letter from her dated June of the year before. Before receiving this letter, Mrs. Haviland had received only post cards. He wrote that he had recovered from wounds received when Guam was bombed, that there is an adequate library in the camp and that moral is good.

After being captured he was kept on Guam for a short time, then taken to Japan on January 10, 1942.

Youth Gets 30 Days; Refused to Battle Fire

Gettysburg, Pa., May 16 (Spl.)—Charged with refusing to fight a forest fire, Harry Carbaugh, 22, Fayetteville, R. D., has been sentenced to serve 30 days in the Adams County Jail by Justice of the Peace John H. Basehore.

Pvt. Leon R. Geiger of the State police, who laid the charge, said Carbaugh refused to obey his order to help fight a mountain fire May 4 because he did not wish "to spoil his good clothes."

Legion Urged To Probe Rude Draft Boards

Lynchburg, Va., May 16 (AP).—Virginia Legionnaires are urged by Miss Phyllis Pedigo of Covington, whose work with a Red Cross unit in Australia's lonely bush country won her the name "Sunshine Lady," to make a thorough investigation of their home-town draft boards.

Asserting that she knows of instances in which board members have been discourteous, rude and "downright nasty" to youths called up for induction, she recommended that Legion posts make the investigation as a project in each town.

The Legion, which is in two-day session here, took no immediate action on her proposal.

Miss Pedigo addressed a joint meeting of the Legion Auxiliary, the Forty and Eight and the Eight and Forty. She charged that the discourteous treatment occurs most frequently to rural boys unfamiliar with draft procedures and who do not know how to go about getting the information they need.

She also rapped the "bridge-playing, cola-drinking American female who can't find time to do any war work, but can find time to lament world conditions over the bridge table."

Maryland Girl, 14, Still Is Missing; Clews Lacking

Baltimore, May 16 (AP).—The missing persons bureau of the Maryland State Police said today that the case of Mary Elizabeth Johnson, 14-year-old Seabrook, Md., girl who disappeared from home last September 8, was still one of the major unsolved mysteries on its books.

The dossier on her disappearance is exceedingly slim, police having come up with no more than a suspicion that she is in Washington.

The original entry said in part, "She was walking maybe with a boy who she had been going with, and this boy may know something about her." It added that previous to her disappearance she "hung around" a place called "Snug Harbor."

Seabrook is in Prince George's County.

Berryville Cattle Sale

Berryville, Va., May 16.—Twenty-three farms have consigned stock for the Berryville district Aberdeen-Angus breeders' show and sale to be held at the Horse Show Grounds on Wednesday, May 31, W. B. Watkins sales manager said today.

LACK OF COURTESY causes many accidents, say the Virginia State Police. Motorists and pedestrians alike could prevent many crashes by extending consideration to the other fellow. Mr. Motorist, don't let the power of your vehicle overcome your better judgment. Mr. Pedestrian, don't depend on the motorist for your protection.

The Golden Rule of the Road if practiced, can save lives!

Church Heads To Confer on Veterans' Aid

Baltimore, May 16 (AP).—Approximately 250 Protestant Church leaders are expected to meet in Baltimore tomorrow for a two-day conference on the responsibility of the church to returning servicemen and women.

The churchmen, representing national denominational and interdenominational bodies, will confer with heads of government and social agencies, educators and leaders in the field of psychiatry and mental health.

Dr. William Barrow Pugh of Philadelphia, stated clerk of the General Assembly, Presbyterian Church in the USA, who last year toured Army camps in Europe, Africa, Asia and South America, will be general chairman.

Pattern for Others

The decisions of the conference are expected to set a general pattern for local and regional meetings of a similar character in all sections of the country. Conferences already are being organized for Los Angeles, New York and Chicago.

The Rev. Martin Creeger, executive secretary of the Christian commission on camp and defense communities and chairman of the steering committee for the conference, said "the urgent need of a national conference of this nature is pointed up by the fact that something like a million and a quarter men already have returned to civilian life from mflitary service, and are continuing to return at the rate of almost 100,000 a month."

Leaders of the conference include Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, director of the Veterans Administration, Washington; Lieut. Col. Col-Hoyt of the Veterans Personnel Division, Selective Service, Washgate Hoyt of the Veterans Personned Division, Selective Service, Washington; Representative Jeddy Voorhis of California; Dr. John A. P. Millet, chairman of the emergency committee, Neuropsychiatric Societies of New York; Dr. Luther B. Woodward, field consultant, Rehabilitation Division, National Committee for Mental Hygiene, New York; and E. J. Sproul, program executive, National Council of YMCA's, New York City.

Sponsors are Listed

The international commissions sponsoring the meeting are the Christian Commission for Camp and Defense Communities, the General Commission on Army and Navy Chaplains, the Committee on Religion and Health of the Federal Council of Churches, and the Servicemen's Christian League. The commissions represent the International Council of Religious Education, the Home Missions Council of North America, the United Council of Church Women and the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

Fish Hatchery In Canal Planned

Cumberland, Md., May 16 (AP).—Proposing the use of a portion of the abandoned Chesapeake and Ohio Canal as a huge fish hatchery, Frederick C. Dreyer, chairman of zone 8, League of Maryland Sportsmen, submitted tentative plans for the project at a State-wide meeting of the league in Annapolis.

The canal, abandoned years ago as a waterway, has several sections intact in the Williamsport area, Dreyer said, and could be developed into "the finest and one of the largest fish hatcheries in the United States."

The league, headed by Glenn L. Martin, builder of Martin bombers, supported the proposal and mapped plans to present it to the Maryland General Assembly. Federal sanction of the project would be necessary.

The Governor Is 'Too Severe'

Richmond, Va., May 16 (AP).—Colgate W. Darden, jr., as Governor of Virginia, is accustomed to being placardde by groups anxious to have him support certain legislation.

The "home front" followed suit the other day after the Governor had lectured his two young sons on the subject of more studying and fewer movies. They confronted him, the Governor related, with placards to the effect that the Governor of Virginia was "unduly hard" on his children.

Pre-Invasion Prayers Set in Martinsburg

Martinsburg, W. Va., May 16 (Spl.).—A preinvasion prayer service will be held, on a community-wide basis, at Inwood, near here, tomorrow afternoon at the United Brethern Church.

Industries have agreed to release their employes on the industries' time to attend, and business houses will close for the same period.

Two Delegates Elected

Martinsburg, W. Va., May 16.—John H. Hoffman, Morgantown, and Clarence E. Martin, sr., this city, will be the two delegates to the Democratic National Convention from this Second Congressional District on the basis of nearly complete returns from Tuesday's primary vote.

Graduate as Nurses

AT MARTINSBURG—Recent graduates from the Martinsburg (W. Va.) City Hospital School for Nurses were (left to right): Miss Margaret Smouse of Hyndan, Pa.; Miss Barbara Smith of Arlington, Va., and Miss Louise Kite of Martinsburg. Speaker was Mrs. Ray Conrad Baldwin of Arlington, an alumna of the same school and now superintendent of the new Arlington Hospital

Direct AAA Sales to Farmers Protested by Cooperative Aide

Protests against the Agricultural Adjustment Agency engaging in the physical distribution and handling of farm production supplies have been laid before the Senate Appropriations Committee by H. H. Gordon, director of personnel and public relations of the Southern States Cooperative.

Gordon, representing a claimed membership of 155,000 farmers in Maryland, Delaware, Virginia and West Virginia, told the committee in testimony made public yesterday that the tendency of the present AAA distribution system was to reduce the efficiency of local dealers and increase their costs, which are in turn passed on to farmers.

In Virginia, he said, normally about one million pounds of crimson clover seed are distributed through AAA direct to the farmer annually. Distribution of rye grass seed amounts to 250,000 to 300,000 pounds, and vetch seed from 150 000 to 300,000 pounds. Distribution of 2 per cent superphosphate amounts to 120,000 tons annually, and distribution of lime 500,000 tons annually.

"The Virginia distribution in terms solely of margin which would be realized by these local dealers," he said, "would be somewhere around $750,000, so you can see that it cuts very definitely into the program of the local supply dealer, and increases his cost, and that in turn is passed on to the farmer."

Furthermore, Gordon said, seed distributed by the AAA are not subject to State inspection laws and as a result quality is poor and germination is low. When planted and harvested they cannot be sold as pure seed, which reduces the sources of supply of reliable seed for reputable seed dealers, he said.

The local dealers cannot handle the business on AAA terms of 3 per cent margin, he said, which is just about enough to cover shrinkage and loss, with nothing for overhead, handling cost and labor.

"It is our feeling," he said, "and that feeling is shared in large measure by many AAA officials, that if this distribution of seeds, fertilizer, lime and feeds were transferred to the regular dealers, private dealers and cooperatives, that the AAA program itself would be facilitated."

Md. Flier Returns, Describes Raid Near Hirohito's Palace

Cumberland, Md., May 16 (AP).—Staff Sergt. George Atkinson, son of Mrs. Alice Atkinson, this city, home on his first furlough in more than a year, disclosed today that he participated in the bombing of Tokyo as an engineer-gunner aboard one of the bombers that Maj. Gen. Jimmy Doolittle led over the Japanese capital in 1942.

Atkinson said that his plane flew within several hundred yards of the Japanese Emperor's palace at Tokyo after dropping bombs on an ammunition dump.

After running our of gas at 2 o'clock in the morning while over China the crew bailed out, he said.

"The Japanese we sew along the shore waved to us without being aware we were American planes and I can't see how they failed to recognize our insignia as we were flying about 50 feet above the sea and land when we approached the harbor area," Sergeant Atkinson said.

He said the area in which they landed by parachutes was in Japheld territory, but was loosely garrisoned and it proved a "cinch" for the Chinese to guide them to safety. He said they reached free China after 37 days. He has participated in numerous bombing missions in the south Pacafic area since the Tokyo attack.

He wears the Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, Asiatic campaign ribbon, Allied Nations ribbon, Presidential citation ribbon, good conduct ribbon and a ribbon denoting service before Pearl Harbor.

Livestock and Produce

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, May 16 (AP) (WFA Office of Distribution).—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; cows active, fully steady with Monday; canners, 6.50@8.00; shelly kinds down to 6.00 and under; cutter and common, 8.50@10.00; medium dairy cows quotable 10.50@12.00; top sausage bulls 12.00 down.

CALVES—Receipts, 50; active, steady with Monday; good and choice vealers, 16.00@17.00; medium, 11.00@14.00; common, 7.00@10.50; culls down to 5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 1000; active, steady with Monday; good and choice 180-270 lb. barrows and gilts, 14.30, the top; unchanged.

SHEEP—Receipts, 75; spring lambs and slaughter ewes active, steady with Monday; strictly good and choice spring lambs, 70 lbs., and up, 18.00; fat wooled slaughter ewes 7.00 down.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, May 16 (AP) (WFA).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 13,000; total, 16,500; slow, steady on good and choice 180-270 lbs. at 13.75, the top; other weights and grades, including sows, relatively scarce, uneven, steady to 15 higher; good and choice, 280-330 lbs., 11.75@12.15; few good and choice 150-170 lbs., also medium grade 170-220 lbs., 12.00@13.00; good and choice 350-550 lb. sows, 10.60@10.85; approximately 8000 unsold, comprised largely 200-270 pounds.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts, 800; salable calves, 1; fed steers and yearlings fully steady; good and choice offerings active, other slow at 15.00 down; bulk, 14.50@16.50; top, 16.85; several loads, 16.50@16.75; four loads Western fed 1300-lb. steers at outside price; heifers firm, best, 16.00; mixed offerings, 16.25; bulk fed heifers, 14.00@16.00; hardly enough cows here to make a market, trade strong with weighty cutters to 9.50 and most beef cows, 10.00@12.50; light and medium weight bulls weak at 9.00@21.00, firm on heavy bulls, with sausage offerings 12.15 and heavy fat bulls to 13.50 and better; active trade on vealers at 16.00 down.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 5000; total, 7000; wooled lambs opened active, firm; 10 loads mixed medium to choice, mostly good grade fed wooled Western lambs, 15.25, one load 15.00; several loads good and choice Colorados held up to 15.50 and slightly above; two loads good around 104-lb. Arizona spring lambs showing age, 15.15; aged classes scarce; shorn native ewes about 25 lower at 7.00 down, few light cull kind 3.00@4.50.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., May 16 (AP).—(U. S. Dept. Agr.) (Prices represent sales on wholesale market.)

WHITE POTATOES—Receipts heavy; market steady, 100-lb. sacks, U. S. No. 1, Maine 3.00@3.25.

LETTUCE—Receipts light; market steady. California, best selling, 4-5 doz. crates, 5.29@5.36.

CABBAGE—Receipts very heavy; market weak, 50-lb. sacks, Florida, green, 1.25@1.75.

EGGS (prices paid net to producers, f. o. b. Richmond.)—Supplies liberal; market about steady. Federal-State grading stations, whites and browns, U. S. Grade A, large, 32; U. S. Grade A, medium, 28; U. S. Grade A, small, 25; U. S. Grade B, large, 30; U. S. Grade C, 27; nearby ungraded eggs, current receipts, whites and mixed colors, 56 lbs. and under, 25@26; mostly 26; 57-60 lbs., 28; pullet eggs, 22@25.

LIVE POULTRY (prices paid net to producers, f. o. b. Richmond)—Receipts moderate ch young chickens, fairly liberal on hens; market firm. Broilers, fryers and roasters, 30½; fowl, colored, 25@26; Leghorns, 22@23; old roosters, 16@17.

HOGS—On account of another congestion Union Stockyards, advise holding back hogs, until further notice over the radio and the newspapers.

CATTLE—Market steady to strong. Good offerings of cows selling from 9.00@10.00; medium to good, 8.00@9.00; common, 6.00@7.00; canners, 5.00@6.00; butcher bulls, 10.00@11.00; sausage bulls, 9.00@10.00; good and choice vealers fully steady, topping around 15.50@15.75.

Alonzo Brooks Of Naturalist Fame Is Dead

Buckhannon, W. Va., May 16 (AP).—Alonzo Beech Brooks, widely known West Virginia naturalist who was a guiding light in establishment of a conservation program in West Virginia, died during the night at his home in nearby French Creek.

Brooks died at his boyhood home ten days after hi seventy-first birthday and two years after his retirement as naturalist at Oglebay Park in Wheeling.

Interested in wildlife from childhood, Brooks served from 1921 to 1927 as chief game protector of the old game and fish commission, a position comparing with the present post of director of the conservation department.

During his tenure he laid down many of the regulations which still govern hunting and fishing in West Virginia, and was successful in a campaign to sit up fire watch towers to uard the State's forests.

Aubrey A. Adams

Charlottesville, Va., May 16.—The funeral of Aubrey Arthur Adams, 42, who died Monday in Alexandria, will be held here Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Adams, who was employed at the Navy Yary in Alexandria, was a son of William J. Adams and the late Annie Ola Johnson Adams. He never married. Besides his father, no wa resident of Alexandria, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. T. W. Powell and Mrs. Maude McDonald, both of Alexandria, and four brothers, William J. Adams, jr., of Alexandria; Barry L. Adams, U. S. Army, now stationed in England, and Norman F. and James E. Adams, both of Charlottesville.

Maxwell B. Williams

Charlottesville, Va., May 16.—Funeral rites for Maxwell B. Williams, 43, employe of the Glenn Martin Co. plant at Baltimore, who died at a local hospital after a brief illness, were held this afternoon. Surviving are one sister, Mrs. J. F. Jarrell of Standardsville and seven brothers.

Md. OPA Head Talks Tonight In Frederick

Frederick, May 16 (AP).—State OPA Director Leo M. McCormick will address a consumers' forum—the first of its kind ever held in Maryland—at Frederick tomorrow night.

State OPA headquarters said today the session had been organized by women's clubs in the Frederick area to learn first hand the principles of price regulation, enforcement practices and their effects on the housewives' marketing problem.

McCormick is to speak on "The Accomplishments of the OPA to Date and the Dangers of Black Markets." Clarence Sturm, State food-price specialist, will explain how food products are priced and means of detecting overcharges. Afterwards the session will be thrown open to a question and answer period.

Cooperating organizations are the Business and Professional Women's Zonta, Federation of Rural Women, Civic League of Women Voters, Camp Detrick Women's Clubs and Catholic Daughters of America."

New Md. Objectors Camp Is Planned

By the Associated Press

Plans for a conscientious objector's camp to be located at New Windsor, Md., are under discussion by the National Service Board, the soil conservation committee of the Department of Agriculture and the National Selective Service Board, accroding to J .N. Weaver of the National Service Board.

The camp, to be sponsored by the Church of the Brethren which would also provide funds for its maintenance, would be housed in facilities already available in that area, Weaver said.

The project would include accommodations for approximately 30 men who would devote their time to farming and the study of soil conservation. Establishment of the camp is contingent upon the influx of conscientious objectors during the next few months.

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Yes, Mrs. Shultz, John's much better . . . I'm having an awful time keeping him in bed . . .
. . . He's so worried about production at the plant. The manpower shortage . . .
Gosh. The manpower shortage.
Mr. O'Malley!
CROCKETT JOHNSON

Senate Group Shuns Hearings In Ward Seizure, Drafts Report

By Robert C. Albright

A Senate Judiciary subcommittee has decided to dispense with public hearings on Government seizure of the Montgomery Ward & Co. Chicago plants and to file a preliminary report based primarily on the legality of the Government's action.

Senator Pat McCarran (D., Nev.), chairman of the Senate group, said he will go over a rough draft of the report with his staff today. The report will pass over the labor controversy leading up to the seizure, McCarran indicated.

"It is a matter of record that there was a labor dispute," the Senate Judiciary chairman said. "What we have been investigating is whether the law was complied with subsequent to the dispute. On that also, every step is a matter of record, and we see no need of public hearings at least at this point."

Showdown Expected

McCarran declined to discuss the contents of the preliminary report, but it was regarded as significant that his investigation by-passed the labor dispute background, which Administration spokesmen have been anxious to fully air.

A seven-man House investigating committee meanwhile will reach a showdown on this point today. Already decided on public hearings, the House group, headed by Representative Robert Ramspeck (D., Ga.), will decide today what witness they will call first.

A decision to call War Labor Board Chairman William H. Davis as first witness will be interpreted as a desire on the part of a majority of the committee to go thoroughly into events leading up to the Government's seizure before investigating the actual occupation of the plant.

To Call Davis, Biddle

The House group already has decided to call both Davis and Attorney General Francis Biddle, but delayed a decision on which to call first. Undersecretary of Commerce Wayne C. Taylor, wh oooperated the plants for the Government before they were turned back to Ward, and Sevell Avery, chairman of the board of Montgomery Ward, later will be called.

Although the Senate-passed Byrd resolution directed the Senate Judiciary Committee to investigate events leading up to the seizure, Chairman McCarran reiterated that he was not proceeding under the Byrd resolution. He pointed out his committee has broad authority to investigate the legality of executive orders under an earlier Senate resolution. He said he decided to use this authority when it became questionable whether committee funds could be legally spent under the Byrd resolution, specifically aime dat the Ward case. The original Byrd resolution carried an authorization for expenses, but the Sentae struck this out.

PEACE IN THE PACIFIC—During an interlude in Pacific fighting, men of a U. S. Navy task force set up camp on a Marshall Island atoll as their ships lie off shore.

Suicides at New Lw, Psychiatrists Are Told

By Howard W. Blakeslee
Associated Press Science Editor

Philadelphia, May 14—American suicides have dropped to a new low, Dr. Harry Freeman, Worcester, Mass., reported to the American Psychiatric Association today.

The rate is 12 per 100,000, against a high of 17 in 1932. The probable reasons, he sair, are that so many more persons have jobs, and that feelings of aggression, which a suicide uses against himself, are turned outward against the common enemies.

Even in mental hospitals, he declared, there is a decrease in suicide rates.

He warned psychiatrists to prepare for a suicide increase after the war. In the World War there was a similar drop as now, followed by a long, steady increase afterward.

This time science has a new weapon against suicied, the recently developed electric shock which causes unconsciousness and sometimes convulsions.

Such shocks, Dr. Freeman said, have been outstandingly useful in curing suicide tendencies. He said that some minds bent on self-destruction recover because they seem to take the electric shock as a punishment which in itself is sufficient.

Others, after the shock treatment, forget the powerful emotions which were urging them to destruction.

Still others are stimulated, their appetites improve and they have a general feeling of well-being after shock. These no longer are interested in death.

Dr. Freeman said that in the majority of suicides there is a family history of mental illness. The major reason for selfdestruction is a feeling that "nobody wants me."

Dr. Freeman reported finding a link between sugar and mentally disturbed soldiers. These men were able to eat much more sugar, in amounts that would sicken a mentally well person. He said this study points to the probability that emotions and physical conditions are closely associated in mental disturbances.

Boy Chemist Awed Neighbors

Salt Lake City (AP). — Young Jimmy Beck fashioned a cannon of lead pipe and loaded it with powder mixed from drugstore chemicals. The initial blast roused the neighborhood.

Now Jimmy's cannon has a place of honor in the gun room at police headquarters.

Jeep Looked Too Good To English Farmer

London (AP)—While an average of two U. S. Army vehicles a week are lost or stolen from an infantry division, most are recovered within 48 hours. The biggest headache was a jeep missing seven months. It was given up for lost.

"Then one day the civilian police got in touch with us," said the provost marshal. "A farmer saw the jeep parked in front of his house for several days. When nobody called for it, he put it in his barn. Said he figured he'd use it to run around in after the war."

Gibraltar has belonged to the British since 1704.

Linoleum was first produced in England.

Naval Officer's Firm Slated for Inquiry

By the Associated Press

The Senate's War Investigating Committee announced yesterday it will hear public testimony on relations between Comdr. John D. Corrigan, the enginering firm he heads, and certain war contractors. The committee said a number of companies doing war work had hired Corrigan's firm after Corrigan in his naval ordnance office began investigation of their Navy production performance.

Chairman Truman (D. Mo.) said Corrigan will be the first witness May 25, followed by officials of "some of the companies which hired or were requested to hire his corporation."

The hearing, beginning May 25, follows several months of private inquiry, truman said.

Truman's statement said that staff investigation and private hearings indicated that:

1. Corrigan, Osborne & Wells (New York City) is "engaged in furnishing consultation services primarily to the Navy and companies holding Navy contracts."

2. That Corrigan, cofounder, president and half owner of the stock of the corporation, has described his duties as involving investigating and anaysis of firms "behind schedule on ordnance material to determine what must be done to get production."

"A number of such firms," the statement asserted, "have hired Corrigan, Osborne and Wells almost simultaneously with inspection examinations by Commander Corrigan and criticisms by him of their work.

"The purpose of the public hearings is to establish the nature and extent of the relations between Commander Corrigan (Bureau of Ordnance) and his corporation and its clients, Navy contracts affected and the responsibility within the Navy Department for permitting the situation to arise and continue."

Bomb Expert Awaits Tokyo Try

Blockbusters on Tokyo—this is the aim of Air Commodore Patrick Huskinson, Great Britain's No. 1 bomb expert, who met the Washington press corps yesterday during a visit in the United States on matters military.

Huskinson, director of the development of the 12,000-pounders used by the Royal Air Force in raids over Europe, has been blind since 1940, when he was struck by enemy bomb fragments during a London blitz.

For security reasons, Commodore Huskinson could not reveal the damaging power of the blockbuster, but he did explain that the smaller 8000-pounder "would demolish your Griffin Stadium here." Reporters hastened to tel lhim that he meant Griffith Stadium.

Smal targets in France. Huskinson said, have ben knocked out with tremendous efficiency by "the big fellows"—4000, 8000 and 12,000 pounders—in night attacks by the RAF.

"The enormous blasting power of the blockbusters makes up for any slight inaccuracies of aim," he pointed out. "And naturally, when the 12,000-pounders are dropped, many less aircraft are required to destroy the target."

Right now the only limit on the size of bombs is weight, and space-carrying capacity of bombing planes, Huskinson said—"but what is most important of all is, what is inside the bomb, and that I can't tell you."

"I am particularly anxious to see what the old 12,000-pounder will do to the ramshackle buildings of Tokyo, for I feel confident that the area of devastation will be increased," he added.

Baltimore Yank King for a Day

London (AP).—The head waiter turned solicitously as Sergt. Howard Pingree of Baltimore, Md., strode into the dining room of Claridges', one of London's swankiest hostelries. "The usual table, Mr. Pingree?" The sergeant nodded. "And, pheasant and burgundy as usual, Mr. Pingree?" The sergeant nodded. "Would you like the orchestra to play Clare De Lune—as usual?" "Yes," murmured the sergeant. After a leisurely dinner, he lit a cigar, paid his check and was met at the door by the head waiter. "See you next payday—as usual, Mr. Pingree?" he asked solicitously.

Electric Echo Locates Fish At Great Depth

By Howard W. Blakeslee
Associated Press Science Editor

New York—An underwater echo which locates fish at depths hitherto unprobed has been tried out in British Columbia waters by the Fisheries Research Board of Canada.

The echo is a series of sounds, produced electrically, traveling from the bottom of a boat to the bottom of the sea and up again.

The returning echo is recorded on a moving sheet of paper and it shows schools of herring better than any previous method. The echo not only shows the area of the school but its thickness. The bottom and top of school are plainly recorded by the echo.

Even scattered fish, not dense enough to pick up by previous methods, and not dense enough to be fished ordinarily, are spotted. These scattered fish are sometimes gathering where a school will form later.

The best previous method was a long wire with a weight at its lower end. The herring could be felt bumping this wire. The echo has several advantages. The wire is not useful below 50 fathoms. The echo can read fish signs much deeper. The boat dragging the wire moves slowly. The echo boat can travel full speed and still outline the fish.

The wire is not much use in rough weather, but the echo is not bothered by waves of any sort.

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The Washington

Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

THE PRESIDENT sometimes has been described as vindictive and unrelenting toward a foe whenever he gets the "old Dutch up". To some extent, this is true. Some who have crossed wires sharply with the President are never forgiven nor forgotten.

On the other hand, he has shown remarkable streaks of forgiveness. Most notable recent example is the case of new Secretary of the Navy Forrestal. Very few people know of an incident which occurred a little over ayear ago at Forrestal's Georgetown mansion. But the President did.

The General Electric Co. has developed a new listening device, on the principle of a dictaphone, by which outside parties can pick up conversations as far away as 3 miles. The device is extremely sensitive and does not need to have a dictaphone planted inside the room where the conversation is taking place.

General Electric's former president Charley Wilson efficient vice chairman of the War Production Board, happened to have one of these devices and, one night, he tuned it in on the Forrestal home.

It happened to be during the period when the Army and Navy were waging relentless war against the War Production Board, doing their best to oust Donald Nelson and take over WPB duties themselves. It was a bitter feud, and Forrestal was holding a council of war at his home. Maybe the tuning in on the Forrestal home was pure accident, maybe it wasn't.

Anyway, it so happened that dining with Forrestal that night were Undersecretary of War Patterson, Bernie Baruch, and one or two high-ranking Army officers. The conversation during a large part of the evening consisted of criticism of the Administration, especially of the War Production Board, and including the President himself.

Transcript Shown to FDR

BERNIE BARUCH'S high voice could be heard distinctly, taking some tough raps at his old friend, FDR. As Baruch is deaf, the others talked in rather loud voices, among them Forrestal, who gave out his share of presidential criticism.

In fact, the criticism of the Commander in Chief was so vigorous and plans for Army-Navy taking over of the War Production Board were hatched in such detail, that Wilson and Donald Nelson took a transcript of the conversation down to the White House.

The President seemed to enjoy the story. His chief comment was: "Lock up that transcript in a safe and keep it there. Somebody will try to steal it."

Five copies were made and locked up. But since then, the President has spent a whole month at the South Carolina home of his friend and critic, Bernie Baruch. And despite the fact that the press has reported Forrestal talking to GOP Senators about his lining up with a prospective GOP presidential candidate, FDR has now appointed Forrestal Secretary of the Navy.

Note: One old feud which once caused real bitterness was between Al Smith and the President. Smith attacked FDR for years. The two former friends were considered die-hard eemies. were considered die-hard enemies. But recently, when Mrs. Smith died, the President sent Al a beautiful telegram. Al is expected to come out for a fourth term.

Isolationist's Revival

AFTER A LONG sabbatical silence, following the pre-Pearl Harbor expose of his pro-Nazi connections, Congressman Stephen A. Day of Illinois stuck his neck out the other day in the House in a debate with Administration spokesmen that had the galleries agog for 15 minutes.

Day delivered a windy harangue against postwar "international entanglements" that was reminiscent of his isolationist writings for Flanders Hall, the Nazi-controlled publishing house in New Jersey which Washington Merry-Go-Rround exposes helped to chase out of business. However, before the bald, portly Illinoisan was finished, young Representative Albert Gore of Tennessee and House Majority Leader John McCormack gave him a workout he hadn't bargained for.

Replying to Day's charge that President Roosevelt was being influenced by foreign "isms" (he admitted under questioning by Gore that he meant Russia) in postwar planning, McCormack roughly shot back:

"The gentleman from Illinois was wrong before Pearl Harbor and has never had the courage to admit he was wrong and has never got on the right premise since. Since our country entered the war, the gentleman has never changed his course of conduct."

McCormack accused Day of using the "argument of a dictator" in his castigation of President Roosevelt. He added, "If I infer correcting from what the gentleman from Illinois says, he wants nothing done after this war is over to try to save the next generation of youth, most of whom are unborn today, from undergoing the horrors and rigors and destructiveness of modern warfare."

President's Health

WHEN CONGRESSIONAL leaders called at the White House for the first legislative conference following the President's return from South Carolina, he looked fit as a fiddle. However, Senate Majority Leader Alben Barkley popped the question that has had the Capital worried because of those wild rumors about the Commander in Chief's health.

"How do you feel?" asked the Kentuckian.

"Great," replied Roosevelt. He added that he had got in 12 hours of sleep a night and plenty of sunshine.

He was brown as a berry and buoyant as ever. However, congressional leaders noted that his face was a little thinner. Admiral Ross T. McIntire, the President's physician, accepts responsibility for this. Roosevelt has knocked off 10 pounds under McIntire's orders. He is still 5 pounds overweight, according to his physician's standards, but McIntire figures that this can be corrected by proper dieting.

'Mass Achers'

Bainbridge, Md., May 16 (AP).—"Boots," or recruits, at the Bainbridge Naval Training Station now call their physical conditioning drill fields "Mass Acres"—except for the one wag who suggested "Mass Achers."

Pennsy Aide Retires

Baltimore, May 16 (AP).—George R. Wilson, assistant to the treasurer of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., has been retired to devote his time ta management of a farm at Boonsboro, Washington County, the company reported today.

Grin And Bear It

By Lichty

"I've done my part for the war—my teacher quit and joined the WACs—my piano teacher gave up and joined the WAVES. And I made a war plant job seem pretty desirable to Mom!"

LEONARD LYONS

Broadway Potpourri

New York, May 16.—A tall gray-haired man, accompanied by a friend, went to a doctor's office for treatment. The nurse began to fill out a card and asked him the usual first-visit questions. "Your name?" she began . . . "Jones," he told her . . . "First name?" she continued. He answered: "Jesse" . . . "Occupation?" the nurse asked . . . "Er . . . "Secretary," said Jones . . . "What kind of Secretary?" she asked . . . "Secretary of Commerce," said Jones . . . "Oh, commercial secretary," said the nurse. "Well, the fee for the first visit is $25" . . . "I think I can raise it," said Jones . . . Then the doctor arrived, and the nurse told him: "A new patient for you doctor. This is Mr. Jesse James."

BERNARD SHAW

Commander Harry Butcher, aide to General Eisenhower, wants to leave his post to be transferred to a job which would make him among the first to land on the Continent when the time comes . . . John Foster, who was one of Washington's most eligible bachelors when he was counselor to the British Embassy, will be named a Brigadier General on the staff of General Eisenhower . . . George Bernard Shaw's new book discusses the people's incapacity to vote properly. Shaw will offer a different system of exercising the franchise—a system of panels of various professional leaders to set up eligibility rules, etc.

Last week a luncheon was arranged for Somerset Maugham, Ernest Hemingway and Erich Maria Remarque. A young writer also was invited to lunch with this eminent trio. . . . "Just why did you agree to this luncheon?" Hemingway was asked. . . . "Because I thought it would be good for him," he replied, "in case he ever writes his memoirs."

Lieut. Col. John Bennett, who was the Democratic candidate against Dewey for the Governorship, is back from overseas duty with the Provost-Marshal, and now is at Fort Dix, awaiting his Army release. Bennett, the former Attorney General, may run for Congress and set his guns for the Mayoralty election . . . A cooling-off period followed the Soviet invitation to Eric Johnston to visit Russia, because of the published rumor that anti-Stalinist Eugene Lyons was helping Johnston in his writings.

George Jessel, lamenting the realization that middle-age has come upon him, is at the stage where he no longer likes to be reminded by devoted followers that "I saw you when you were with Gus Edwards" . . . Mr. Jessel was escorting a teen-age young lady—"Old, she wasn't" is his admission—when a vaudeville veteran approached and reminded him: "George, I was with you at Keith's Alhambra. 1912. Remember?" . . . George nodded sadly, and spied the frowning young lady studying his graying hairs. "Honey," Jessel quickly reassured her, "Keith's Alhambra was a horse. And 19.12 was the price paid when she won at Belmont."

The Saturday Evening Post's national advertising campaign, for the issues containing the "Queen Helen" articles on Helen Reid fo the Herald Tribune, had to be withdrawn. The ads, which were to appear in every big city, featured her photo, and Mrs. Reid refused to consent to the use of her picture in advertisements. . . . Richard Tregaskis has finished his "Invasion Diary." He has his credentials to return to Europe, after his skull-operation. . . . The unionization of Montgomery Ward succeeded because the union leaders, realizing that so many of the workers were 17-year-old bobby-sox youngsters who wouldn't understand the usual union propaganda, aimed the campaign at their parents, most of whom are union men.

At an air base in England recently, a boxing tournament was held between American and British fighters. High ranking British and American officers attended the fights. The British won. When the results were announced, and the officers started to leave, a Russian general tapped CBS correspondent Dick Hottelet and asked: "Where's that man I heard so much about in Moscow?" . . . "General Eisenhower?" said Hottelet. "I think he's gone" . . . "No. Not Eisenhower," said the Red officer. "Joe Louis."

Massine, who has been a guest-performer at the Ballet Theater this season, signed a contract to appear there regularly, for the next full season . . . Bennett Cerf, publisher of "Great Tales of Terror and the Supernatural" which was edited by his wife and Herbert Wise reports: "When I'd come home, my wife used to greet me 'Do you love me?' Now she greets me: 'How many copies did Macy's take?'" . . . Upton Sinclair, nearing 70, is at the most prolific stage of his literary career. His "Presidential Agent" will be published next month, and he's finished seven chapters of his next book . . . Willie Howard was signed last week to appear in Lou Walter's Hail Columbia."

Jason Bernie, son of the late and beloved Ben Bernie, has been in the Army for 3 years. Last week, in Los Angeles, he was married, received a furlough and arrived in New York with his bride for a short honeymoon.

The Unseen Audience

YA OUGHTA HEAR THAT KID PLAY TH' SWEET POTATO. COUPLA MINUTES NOW, AN' TH' PHILHARMONIC 'LL BE ON TH' AIR, AN' TH' KID 'LL PLAY RIGHT ALONG WITH 'EM. HE COMES BY IT NATURALLY. WHEN I WAS HIS AGE I COULD PLAY ON A COMB LIKE NOBODY'S BUSINESS

About the Showshops

With NELSON B. BELL

IT SHOULD BE PATENT on the face of it, but, to forestall further inquiries, the Coast Guard Dance Band unit from Curtis Bay Training Station, announced as chief stag attraction in conjunction with first regular Washington showings of Cecil B. DeMille's Technicolor production of "The Story of Dr. Wassell," at the Earle Theater, is not Rudy Vallee's "Lucky 'Leventh" Coast Guard Band.

GARY COOPER

Under the conductorship of Chief Petty Officer Bill Schallen, this Curtis Bay Group serves as part of the regular military band at the training station, performing its popular musical chores as an extra-curricular activity. For the past year or so it has been featured on a coast-to-coast broadcast in the interest of the service.

In addition to Chief Schallen, former trombonist and vocalist with Alvino Rey's Orchestra, the Dance Band includes instrumentalists formerly with such noted organizations as those of Benny Goodman, Glenn Miller, Claude Thornhill, Hal McIntyre, Hudson-DeLange, Sonny Dunham and Charlie Barnett.

The band's appearance on the Earle stage will be in the nature of a salute to the daring exploits of the Navy's Commander Wassell, upon which the De Mille picture, starring Gary Cooper in the title role, is based.

The combination should be getting under way at the Earle around about Friday, May 26, if "Passage to Marseille" has docked by then.

Fully aware of the urgent demand from Army commands all over the globe for more, more and still more WAC recruits, 16,000 motion picture theaters throughout the United States will extend their WAC Recruiting Week for an additional seven days. In Washington, the houses opening on Thursday will carry on the drive through Wednesday, May 24; those inaugurating their new bills on Friday, through Thursday, the 25th. The local campaign will continue with the Lionel Barrymore trailer on all the screens at all performances and literature concerning the WAC and how to join it available at all theaters.

Our old friend Sam Weller, one of the better things of the theater, drops word from Chicago that the Theater Guild's National Company in "Oklahoma"—that is the one Washington saw at the National Theater—is piling up a characteristic record of longevity at the Erlanger Theater in the Windy City. Assuming that the capacity business that has prevailed since its opening will hold, Mr. Weller estimates that at the end of this, its twenty-seventh week in Chicago, the most sensational musical hit of this generation will have played to 343,620 Chicagoans and visiting firemen, to a total of $810,000 at the box-office. At this rate, he computes further, the million dollar mark will be passed in Tuesday night, July 4. What with the political conventions coming along and all, Sam's wise tip is that anyone expecting to visit Chicago this summer, and hoping to see "Oklahoma" while doing so, get in his mail order for seats NOW. Of course, you could go to New York, where it is in its second year at the St. James Theater, with no current seats available there, either.

The Big Parade

So, what goes on next week? Principally this:

Come tomorrow, Loew's Capitol Theater will be breaking out "Broadway Rhythm," the musical whoop-la featuring Ginny Simms—a visitor in the Capital today—George Murphy, Charlie Winninger, Ben Blue, Nancy Walker and Gloria De Haven, and RKO-Keith's will be offering "Ladies Courageous," a story of the Wasps, starring Loretta Young and Geraldine Fitzgerald.

On Friday the Metropolitan will be according "Lady, Let's Dance," its first run, with Belita starred, and the Pix will be doing the same for "Cowboy Canteen," Columbia's filmusical, stressing such names as Charles Starrett, Jane Frazee, Vera Vague, Tex Ritter, the Mills Brothers, Jimmy Wakely and His Saddle Pals and numerous other specialists.

If you have still to see "Gaslight," "Passage to Marseille" or "Andy Hardy's Blonde Trouble," they'll be at the Palace, Earle and Columbia, respectively.

The Little will be beating all these to the break—except the holdovers—with its revival of "The Private Life of Henry VIII," beginning this morning, with Charles Laughton starred.

A little farther away is Katharine Cornell's one-week engagement at the National in "Lovers and Friends," opening next Monday night, and immediately available are the 50-odd amusements on tap every afternoon and evening at the Glen Echo Park. Then, if the gas is holding out, there is the open-air, drive-in picturedome, a little abaft Alexandria down on the Richmond Highway in Virginia. Generous selection, by and large.

Washington's Columbia Light Opera Co., now celebrating eight years of uninterrupted community production, probably won't mind if you find out that it will be presenting "No, No, Nanette," in Roosevelt Auditorium on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, June 7-10. As in the past, the piece will be directed by Ethyl Manning. Jeanette Bittner will appear in the title role, opposite Val Du Bois, as Tom, with an able cast in support.

Comes-Early-This-Year Note

Whew!

Tawes Recovering After Minor Operation

Baltimore, May 16 (AP).—J. Millard Tawes, State comptroller, who underwent a hernia operation yesterday at Johns Hopkins Hospital, was reported today to be doing very well. Tawes will leave the hospital in a few days, his physician said.

Nelson S. Brown

Funeral services for Nelson Stansbury Brown, 76, who died in a Washington Hospital Sunday night afte ra long illness, will be held in St. John's Catholic Church, Forest Glen, at 11 a. m. today. Burial will be in St. John's Cemetery. The Rev. J. E. Malloy, assistant pastor of St. John's Church, will officiate.

Mr. Brown was born in Montgomery County and, except a short residence at Point of Rocks, Md., had always lived in the county. He had made his home at Kensington and Forest Glen many years. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Estelle Z. Brown; a son, Nelson S. Brown, jr., Kensington; a sister, Mr. Robert A. Barbee, and two brothers, Ernest and James A. Brown, all of Forest Glen. He was a retired employe of the Capital Traction Co., Washington.

Show Time

STAGE

National—"Aida" at 8:30 p.m.

SCREEN

Palace—"Gaslight," at 11:10 a. m., 1:45, 4:25, 7 and 9:35 p. m.

Earle—"Passage to Marseilles," at 11 a. m., 1:50, 4:40, 7:30 and 10:10 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:55, 6:50 and 9:25 p. m.

Capitol—"Up in Mabel's Room," at 11 a. m., 1:40, 4:25, 7:20 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:40 and 9:25 p. m.

Columbia—"See Here, Private Hargrove," at 11 a. m., 1, 3:05, 5:15, 7:30 and 9:45 p. m.

Metropolitan—"No Time for Love," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Up in Arms," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:20, 5:25, 7:25 and 9:30 p. m.

Little—"Private Life of Henry VIII" at 11:15 a.m., 1:25, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:45 p.m.

Pix—"Son of the Sheik,' at 2, 4:45, 7:35 and 10:30. "Algiers," at 3:05, 6 and 8:55 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreels and shorts, at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador—"Passage to Marseilles," at 1, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15 and 9:30 p. m.

HEDDA HOPPER

The Badge of Honor

Hollywood, Calif., May 16.—I've done nothing to deserve the honor bestowed on me when I christened one of Douglas' C-47 ambulance planes which the company named Hedda Hopper. Having one of those giant birds of mercy bearing your name is something to have lived for. . . . Leo McCarey is huffing and puffing, trying to make his next picture better than "Going My Way." This, too, is for Bing Crosby at RKO. Listen, Leo, no one can turn out pictures like that every time—it's not in the cards . . . Bing didn't realize what he was letting himself in for when he announced he would make "The Great John L. Sullivan." We want Ward Bond. Bing's director and producer favor an unknown. A fan from Chester, Pa., wrote, "Whatever you do, don't get some young upstart." So they're testing everybody, and Ward Bond is still waiting.

LUCILLE BALL

Great Sight on Gala Night

'Twas pretty seeing 50 stars and starlets, including Merle Oberon, Lucille Ball, Esther Williams, Lana Turner, Bonita Granville, Phyllis Thaxter, Gloria De Haven, Claire Trevor, and others line up according to height on one side of the RKO parking lot, and, on the other side convalescent soldiers from Birmingham hospital, their escorts for the opening of "Show Business." But the girls I'd like to tip my hat to were women drivers of the Red Cross station wagons. These gals are doing a great job. Eddie Cantor and Joan Davis make an ideal comedy team. Eddie's never been funnier than in "Show Business," and I must find out what Metro's got against George Murphy. He's excellent, yet his studio rarely uses him. The evening netted nearly $90,000 for Birmingham hospital.

What a Dog!

When Asta, "Thin Man's" dog, hears his name he barks, so a line in "Thin Man Comes Home" about Astor Hotel had to be changed to Sherry-Netherlands hotel. Every time they said "Astor," the dog barked. When I walked on the set at Metro a roar went up. "Props" enlightened me. I walked in wearing a conservative skimmer, but all day they'd been kidding Myrna Loy about her "Hopper topper." If living in New York and a new husband can do what it's done for Myrna, then those who are beginning to sag here should try it. Wait 'til you see her . . . It makes me a little ill reading of the "honor" going to Leslie Fenton because he'll direct Greta Garbo. That's reverse English to me. Leslie was one of our first Hollywoodites to enlist. He went to England, did a good job, was injured and sent home. Garbo's still playing hide-and-seek with herself. She's threatened to appear at Hollywood canteen or, perchance, make an appearance on the radio for the Red Cross, but to date nothing has come of it.

"Ziegfeld Follies"

Fred Astaire and Gene Kelly are playing heavenly twins. They start dancing with a harp in a scene laid in heaven. So George Sydney's nicknamed them "Frankie" and "Winston." Yena Horne, in a gorgeous yellow sequin gown, looked like a butterfly. The public's going to see that gown, too, because when the picture's over she can wear it on her personal appearance tour. . . . It took an hour on "National Velvet" set getting Mickey Rooney down from the rafters. He'd won $4,400 on Boy Knight, but he said, ""That doesn't begin to make up my losses." Elizabeth Taylor started in the picture as a child, but she's growing so fast she'll be a woman if they don't hurry and finish. Butch Jenkins is getting raves again. I asked Clarence Brown, who put him in "The Human Comedy," how many times he had to make the kid a star before the fact was recognized. . . . Pretty Hazel Brooks got the lead in "This Thing Called Love" at the Bliss-Hayden theater so David Selznick, Warners, and even her own studio, Metro, are now interested. Smart lassie! You've gotta show the boys. 'Twas ever thus.

Town Heads Named

Leonardtown, Md., (AP).—Edward J. Warning, chairman of St. Marys County Ration Board No. 1, and Maurice Thrift were officially reported today by Benjamin Duke, clerk to the board, to be Leonardtown's new town commissioners. Duke announced that in the town's recent election 41 votes were cast.

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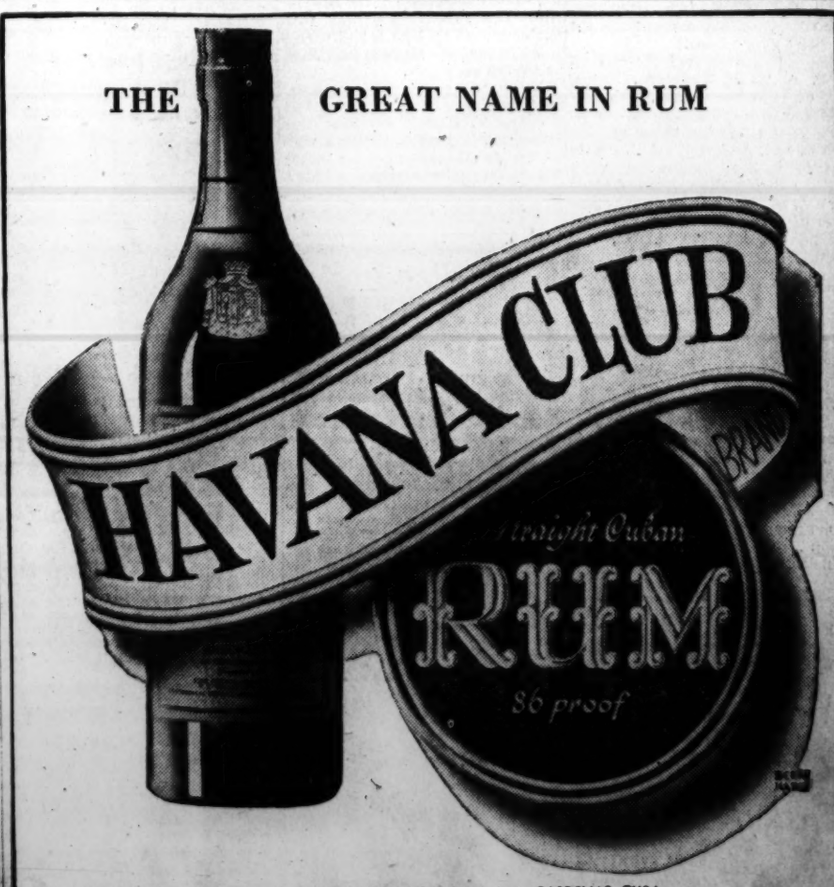

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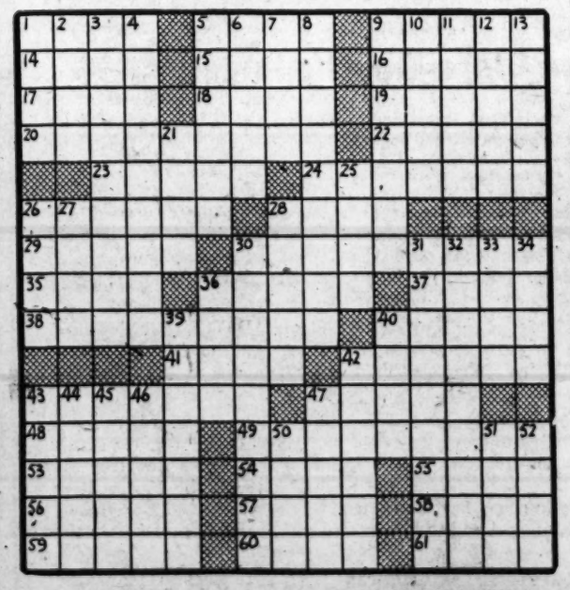
Today's Cross Word Puzzle

By Charles Kuhls



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1 Corn porridge
5 Locality
9 Clerical scarf
14 Winged-shaped
15 Possess
16 Panegyric
17 Demolish
18 Desserts
19 Burdened
20 Inharmonious
22 Gatkin.
23 Fields
24 Customs duties
26 Spicier
28 Hebrew prophet
29 Demons
30 Asseverated
35 Bearing
36 Goddess of peace
37 Gaelic
38 Descendants
40 Thorn
41 Gait
42 Drenched
43 Confection of nuts and sugar
47 Scanty
48 Unaspirated consonants
49 Letter for letter: Lat.
53 Friend: Sp.
54 Jacket
55 Sound
56 Heaped
57 Cause to go
58 Without repetition
59 Cubic meter
60 Declares
61 Peruse

DOWN

1 Red gem
2 Turkish regiment
3 Carnages
4 Foreknowing
5 Silverfish
6 South American rodents
7 Heating chamber
8 Statements of witnesses
9 Backslide
10 Poplar
11 Presages
12 Factor
13 Temporary shelters
21 Crude metals
25 Speck
26 Noisy play
27 Premium
28 Mountain crest
30 Invaluable
31 Divider
32 Compound of three ketone groups
33 Bondman
34 Act
36 Asiatic country
39 Incident
40 Float aloft
42 Uses up
43 Falls with a splash
44 Forgive
45 Feeble-minded
46 Light and fins
47 Petrified
50 Virginia willow
51 Ancient Peruvian
52 Recompense

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

1945 War Budget Sliced 8.3 Billions

Roosevelt Reveals That Total Now Is 85.7 Billions

President Roosevelt revealed yesterday that 8.3 billion dollars had been trimmed from the 1945 war budget, partly as a result of smaller leases, and partly as a result of more detailed planning.

The President pointed out that the budget for the fiscal year starting July 1, excluding lend-lease was estimated at 90.5 billion dollars in January, but was now figured at 85.7 billions including 3.5 billions in new lend-lease appropriations. The new total figure is 4.8 billions lower than the January figure, the President pointed out, but, when the addition of lend-lease is taken into account, the total cut becomes 8.3 billions.

By departments, the following adjustments were announced: Navy, cut 4.4 billions; War, cut 3 billions; War Shipping Administration, cut 1 billion; other war agencies, increased 100 millions.

Plane Production Cut

In a related action, the Navy announced a reduction in the overall production of Navy fighter planes, effective immediately.

The Navy said it was possible to scale down requirements because the rate of attrition in fighter planes has been much lower than anticipated. Thoroughness of naval aviation training was given some credit for fewer losses, both in routine operations and in combat.

Although no official figures were available, it was believed the Navy had trimmed somewhat less than 2000 planes from its 1944 schedule which previously was expected to "net" 24,000 planes.

Warehouse Stocks Cut

The President said January war estimates were based on decisions made at the Teheran and Cairo conferences with Prime Minister Winston Churchill and Marshal Joseph Stalin. It has since been possible to determine the plans with greater precision, relating the procurement program to the definite plan, he said.

Another saving has been made by cutting warehouse stocks down to the amount needed to maintain the pipeline of supplies from war plants to the front, he said.

In addition, operation losses since January have been less than anticipated, the President said. Fewer ships have been sunk by submarine action, and artillery used in combat has lasted longer than expected, he said.

The President thought it significant that 98.6 per cent of the total war budget covered the requirements of the War and Navy Departments, Maritime Commission, and Lend-Lease, with other war agencies and war activities in the regular peacetime agencies consuming the remaining 1.4 per cent.

Congress has been notified of all the changes, the President said.

Battle of Sexes

Wasps Face Fight for Life In Congress

By Mary Spargo

A report condemning the expenditure of millions of dollars in training Wasps to ferry planes when there is a huge surplus of male pilots will be made to the House within the next few days by the Ramspeck Civil Service Investigating Committee.

The committee's findings will be released just before the House considers a measure introduced by Representative John Costello (D., Calif.) to make the Wasp a part of the Army Air Forces.

The Ramspeck Committee, according to Capitol Hill reports, will ask that further training of Wasps be continued and may go so far as to request termination of the organization altogether.

Battle of Sexes.

The House will face a battle of the sexes when it considers the bill to militarize the aWsps next week.

Lined up in determined opposition are the American Legion and aviation interests. They have to contend, however, with the prestige and glamour of Miss Jacqueline Cochran, famed woman flyer, cosmetic manufacturer, and wife of Floyd B. Odlum, multimillionaire New York financier, and some 1000 of her attractive Wasps.

A storm of male protests over commissioning Wasps at a time when the Army Air Forces have transferred 36,000 young men signed up for preliminary training into the infantry has resulted in two amendments to the Costello bill, and another will be offered.

Tobacco Price Action Still Marking Time

The Office of Economic Stabilization said yesterday it was awaiting formal recommendations to be submitted by the Office of Price Administration before it could issue a specific directive on adjusting ceiling prices on Maryland tobacco.

Maryland growers shut down their auction warehouses last week whe nthey complained of the 52 cents a pound ceiling set by OPA. Spokesmen for the growers said yesterday sales would be suspended until some statement was forthcoming from OPA.

Meanwhile Gov. Herbert R. O'Conor of Maryland petitioned Chester Bowles, OPA chief, to reopen consideration of the matter and give the farmers a chance to present their case.

"I believe the ceiling is detrimental to interests of tobacco growers," O'Conor said, and emphasized that the prosperity of the growers is essential to the over-all prosperity of the State.

There was some indication that the OPA would remove the "average" ceiling price and recommend a top ceiling price—higher than the average—but over which the purchase price could not go.

Rooming House License Violations Bring $15 Fines

Three more rooming house proprietors, reported for violating license regulations, Monday appeared in Municipal Court before Judge Aubrey B. Fennell and were fined $15 each following brief reports made by Assistant Corporation Counsel Warren Browning, who prosecuted the cases for the District government.

Browning presented the case of Mrs. Hattie S. Anderson, Negro, 48, of 1234 6th st. nw., who was charged with failing to obtain a license for a rooming house at 1220 6th st. Mrs. Anderson paid her fine.

Others fined yesterday were Arthur Stringfellow, 3408 Warder st. nw., and Robert Paul, joint operators of a rooming house managed by Paul at 1715 8th st. nw., who paid $15 fines each for continuing to operate after receiving a notice that the application for a license had been disapproved.

51st Meningitis Case

The fifty-first meningitis case in the District since the first of the year was reported by the Health Department yesterday upon completion of a diagnosis on a 12-year-old boy admitted to the hospital Friday. Victim of the disease was Morris Resnick of 1501 West Virginia ave. se., who was reported in good condition by hospital authorities yesterday.

28 District Men Report Today For Induction

Twenty-eight District men have been ordered to report for induction into the armed services today. Eleven of these will go to the Army and 17 to the Navy.

To the Army will go:

Russell L. Crampton, Ralph J. Sorrentino, Miller A. Yates, white, and James B. Curtis, James A. Davis, Frank A. Fuqua, Roscoe Reeves, Franklin E. Smith, William L. Smith, Joseph F. Jones, Hallman L. Henry, Negro.

To the Navy will go:

Maurice Cohen, Walter K. Duncan, Louis H. Kushner, Alfred T. Linthicum, Theodore A. Litovitz, William H. Mitchell, Clarence J. Myers, Louis Nemerofsky, James F. Norris, Edwin P. Schweitz, Peter T. Sintetos, white, and James E. Wigfall, Henry Artis, George L. Ferrell, Leamon Lanier, James A. Lucas, James M. Payton, Negro.

9 Fire Stations Praised

Commissioner John Russell Young completed the first day of his annual inspection of the District Fire Department yesterday with the comment that he found everything in the nine stations he visited in tip-top condition.

Young will continue his personal investigation with Fire Chief Stephen T. Porter and Executive Officer C. S. Peterson with a visit to the fire boat and nine other truck and engine companies today. He also will visit the department's training school and repair shop.

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Frederick Faust, Novelist, Is Killed on Italian Front

War Correspondent Was Seeking Material For New Book

Fifth Army Front, Italy, May 16 (AP).—Frederick Faust, who thrilled millions with his fiction of adventure under the name of Max Brand, died in the forefront of battle within 30 minutes after the Allied offensive opened last Thursday night, the seventeenth American correspondent to be killed in the war.

Faust, 51, whose many works included the Dr. Kildare scenarios and novels, was a war correspondent representing Harper's Magazine. He also was getting material here for another novel.

"I want to see exactly how American troops act in battle," he told the troops waiting with him for the start of the big push Thursday night. "I'm going in with you, and I am going to write exactly what I see. If you do well, I'll tell it, and if you do badly I'll tell that too."

Then Faust went into battle and was killed, either by German artillery or mortar fire.

Three American officers who were brought to this hospital as casualties asked me if I knew Faust, then told how he deliberately had selected a battalion that spearheaded the attack.

His body was found in the hilly country south of the village of Santa Maria Infante, near the Garigliano River.

Faust was buried in the cemetery of the division to which he was assigned.

Faust became known as "King of the Pulps" because of his output of Western and action thrillers. It was estimated that Faust had produced 85 novels and 25 million words of fiction and scenarios.

He was a native of Seattle, was educated in California and lived for years in New York and northern Italy. His widow, now in Los Angeles, a son and daughter survive.

Noted Writer Dies in Italy

Associated Press WIREPHOTO
FREDERICK FAUST,
war correspondent for Harper's Magazine and better known as a fiction and motion picture writer under the pen name of Max Brand, who was killed in action Thursday night in Italy, a dispatch from Allied Headquarters, Naples, disclosed yesterday

Veterans' Training Control by States Urged in House

By the Associated Press

Urging that the States instead of the Federal Government be given charge of veterans' education, Representative Dondero (R., Mich.), yesterday told the House that centering control of the program in Washington would be opening the way for "Federal bureaucracy."

He spoke during the last day of general debate on the so-called G. I. Bill establishing a broad program of benefits for the Nation's fighting men.

Dondero advocated adoption of an amendment by Representative Barden (D., N. C.), which would give the States control of the veterans' education. Representative Busbey (R., Ill.), argued that the Barden plan would set up "48 State bureaucracies."

"I had no idea"

BILLY THE BUS looked up from his paper. "Gosh," he exclaimed to Tilly the Trolley. "I had no idea."

"Is that unusual?" replied Tilly. (She hated to be interrupted while mending a run in a seat-back).

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"A hundred?" guessed Tilly.

"More than 800!" said Billy. "Frankly, I don't see how we do as well as we do."

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Billy shook his front platform sheepishly. "Of course!" he said. "To think that I forgot the Capital Transit ladies."

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Robert E. Hannegan

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Passage Nears For Simplified Income Tax Bill

The streamliner income tax bill advanced another step toward final congressional approval yesterday, while a movement to reduce the tax on night clubs bumped into Treasury opposition.

The income tax simplification bill, directing that Uncle Sam figure the taxes of about 30 million wage and salary earners, and providing a less complicated return for other taxpayers, received unanimious approval of the Senate Finance Committee.

Chairman George (D., Ga.), said he would call it up in the Senate Friday and predicted speedy passage. It then will go back to the House for action on technical changes made by the Senate committee.

The Treasury's opposition to lowering the night club tax was made known in a letter to the House Ways and Means Committee, which is considering a proposal by Representative Knutson (R., Minn.), to cut it to 10 per cent.

The tax was raised from 5 to 30 per cent April 1, and Knutson said night club business has fallen off, causing hundreds of entertainers to lose their jobs and threatening many clubs with bankruptcy.

Asked for an opinion on Knutson's proposal, John L. Sullivan, Acting Treasury Secretary, wrote Chairman Doughton (D., N. C.) that until more information is available on effects of the tax "consideration of a change of rate would not appear to be justified."

Panama Canal Builders' Pension Voted in Senate

By the Associated Press

Over the vigorous protests of Senator Byrd (D., Va.), the Senate passed Monday and sent to the House a bill providing Government pensions for civilian employes who took part in the construction of the Panama Canal.

The action came on a voice vote after the Senate rejected, 32 to 28, an amendment by Byrd to confine the annuities to those who suffered injury or illness growing out of their service in the Canal Zone May 4, 1904, to March 31, 1914.

Byrd declared that the bill not only would cost the Government $1,443,000 a year to provide an average pension of $62.50 a month, and an estimated total cost of $10,446,000, but that it would open the way for similar legislation which ultimately would cost "billions of dollars."

Food Outlook Good, Wickard Says

By Christine Sadler

The food production outlook for this year is reassuring and the danger of a nation-wide milk shortage has passed, Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard told the Senate Appropriations Committee in testimony made public yesterday.

Wickard said the winter wheat crop will be "somewhat higher" than a year ago, that poultry production has remained at high levels despite feed difficulties, and that the number of dairy cows is two percent higher than in 1943.

Meantime, the Office of War Information was busy on a survey covering the national food supply situation. Particularly, it was declared, the agency is interested in determining whether meat should have been permitted to go point-free. The survey is due early next week.

War Production Board Chairman Donald M. Nelson said yesterday the production of farm machinery is expected to approach 90 per cent of the scheduled output by June 30. Failure to reach the goal, he said, is due to the fact "farm machinery manufacture cuts squarely across the most important military programs."

"If the production of repair parts and the production of new machinery are considered to gether," he declared, "America's farm machinery is producing at a record-breaking pace—a rate above the highest volume recorded in any peacetime year."

However, some of the programs were late getting under way and cultivation machinery fell far behind. Among items that have been lagging he listed: grain drills, fertilizer distributors, harrows, tractor mounted cultivators and certain haying and harvesting equipment.

A joint statement urging amendments to the Price Control Act was issued last night by the National Grange, American Farm Bureau Federation, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives, and the National Cooperative Milk Producers' Federation.

Declaring themselves in favor of strict price control, the farm groups said: "The legal subterfuge that OPA has employed to prevent court tests of some of its high-handed actions are destructive of the people's respect for and confidence in government."

They indorsed amendments presented by Senator Kenneth S. Wherry (R., Nebr.) that would, among other things, authorize organizations as well as individuals to challenge price regulations in the courts, require civil enforcement proceedings by OPA to be brought in the district in which the defendant resides or maintains an office, change suspension authority so that businesses violating OPA regulations could not have their total operations shut off but permitting suspension of their licenses with respect only to sales of commodities involved in the violations.

"Few farmers have the means or the time to oppose OPA in the courts," the statement said, "and at the present time their organizations cannot come to their defense."

Editor Is Cleared Of Jap Agent Charge

New York, May 16 (INS).—Frederick H. Wright, 41-year-old New York newspaperman, last night was acquitted of charges that he acted as a Japanese agent in this country before Pearl Harbor without notifying the State Department.

Defense Attorney James D. C. Murray told the jury the Government had not produced any evidence to show that Wright had written speeches for Japanese officials and that articles he did write "were wholly innocuous." Wright has been employed as a copy editor by the New York Daily News.

Is An American Treaty, Too, Just a Scrap of Paper?

The following are excerpts from addresses delivered by prominent American legislators and statesmen on the Palestine situation at a dinner sponsored by The New Zionist Organization of America to commemorate the 20th Anniversary of the American-British Treaty on Palestine

The Hon. Styles Bridges, *U. S. Senior Senator from New Hampshire:*

Many easy-minded people contend that Palestine is a British responsibility. They will tell us that, regardless of the moral issues involved, we should not intervene in the White Paper discussion because Palestine is not an American area of action.

The responsibility of the United States for the British mandate in Palestine is solemn and undisputable. It flows from obligations which we assumed in the first World War and which were confirmed by the action whose anniversary we are celebrating tonight.

The British mandate over Palestine derives from the famous Balfour Declaration of November 2, 1917. This declaration was not the *exclusive handiwork* of Lord Balfour; it was the product of long discussions between Great Britain and the United States. In these discussions, President Wilson made it clear to the British from the outset that America would insist upon having a hand in the after-war decision concerning Palestine. When, following the war, the Supreme Council of the Allied Powers conferred the Palestine mandate upon Great Britain, the text of this Balfour Declaration was incorporated in the mandate as a definement of Allied policy.

However, the fact that the United States did not enter the League of Nations, later required a bi-partite agreement with Great Britain to clarify our rights and responsibility in the Palestine mandate. In the negotiations preceding this agreement, our representatives specifically insisted upon a provision stating that *American consent must be obtained before any alteration could be made in the terms of the mandate.*

Great Britain accepted this qualification, and on December 3, 1924, Secretary of State Kellogg put his signature to the "British-American Convention on Palestine."

The Hon. J. Howard McGrath, *Governor of Rhode Island:*

I believe that when we put our signature to a document, it is up to us to see that commitments to us are not nullified. Otherwise, what is the sense of putting our signature to international documents?

Our own citizens, under the White Paper, have been made victims of discrimination in that land of Palestine—if they have the misfortune to belong to the Jewish people. They are excluded from entering Palestine as a matter of policy. They are forbidden to purchase land in most of Palestine as a matter of policy. *We did not stand for it when Czarist Russia tried to do it decades ago. We did not stand for it when Hitlerite Germany tried to do it a short decade ago. Why should we silently acquiesce in such a course now?*

Ultimately the protest of all decent Americans is directed against the cruel gesture of closing the gates of Palestine to the Jewish people: the gates of a country which has been entrusted to British guardianship for the explicit purpose of facilitating Jewish settlement therein; and in doing so at the most tragic time in Jewish history—when Jews stand in need of a homeland as never before; and in doing so in violation of solemn pledges both to the League of Nations and to us.

Our immediate protest is directed against that inept, unwise and unworthy policy which makes our own government stand idly by watching this moral error, this legal misdeed being perpetrated without us exercising our right to cry out against it, without us discharging our duty to cry "Halt!"

Hugh Gibson, *former U. S. Ambassador to Poland and Belgium:*

This country has never in its history distinguished between nations because they were powerful or weak, rich or poor, forward or backward, victor or vanquished. We have an historical tradition of respect for the rights of men, respect for the right of all peoples to their own homeland, their own type of government, their own language, their own religion. *We have always rejected the concept that because a people were once conquered and oppressed they must everlastingly remain conquered and oppressed. Certainly we should deny the truth of any concept that simply because a people have become homeless they must remain homeless.*

By actual treaty with Great Britain, the United States has recognized Jewish aspirations for a homeland in Palestine. That treaty has never been abrogated. It is today the law of the land. It is today a legal basis of American policy. It stands as a record of friendship for the Jewish people so long as the treaty which you are commemorating tonight remains valid, and that treaty remains valid until it is formally abrogated.

We are talking about freedom from want and freedom from fear. Where? And when? And for whom? How do these words sound today to those in Warsaw and Lublin? Unless they are backed up with something more than words, they are no more than a mockery to the dying.

William C. Bullitt, *former U. S. Ambassador to Russia and France:*

The Near East is remote from our shores. It lies in a British sphere of influence, and may become an area of conflict between Great Britain and Russia. Our future need for oil, however, has seemed so important that our Government has decided to involve the United States directly in the affairs of the Near East.

If the United States has a major national interest in the Near East, the Government of the United States cannot be indifferent to the settlement of questions which affect the tranquility of the area. And the unsettled question of Palestine does affect the tranquility of the area.

This new policy of the American Government may influence our official attitude toward Palestine in either of two ways. It may cause our Government to become increasingly apprehensive about making any proposal which might irritate the Arabs. On the other hand, it may be made that starting point for a truly constructive policy with regard to the whole Near East, including Palestine.

Constructive statesmanship is still possible in this world. Only twenty years ago, two great statesmen, Venizelos of Greece and Ataturk of Turkey, settled the ancient blood-feud between the Greeks and the Turks by an exchange of populations which finally included 1,500,000 souls—an exchange of huge dimensions compared to the resources of their states. It was an enormous effort, but a constructive one; and it settled the question. For the first time in history Greece and Turkey became close friends.

While Palestine should become a Jewish State, the vast valley of Iraq, watered by the Tigris and the Euphrates, should be turned once more by irrigation into the garden of the world—which it once had been—and that the Arabs of Palestine should be offered there lands far richer than the lands they owned in Palestine, and that as many as possible of them should be persuaded to emigrate to Iraq.

Are the Great Powers incapable of constructive statesmanship? Are their leaders incompent? Or is the will to act wanting? . . . The blood of the tortured Jews of Europe cries out to all humanity for a Jewish State in Palestine.

The Hon. Clare Boothe Luce, *Congresswoman from Connecticut:*

I wonder how many Americans know that the White Paper is not only an immoral but an illegal document for the very reason that it set aside an American treaty without American consent?

Today, the ultimate defeat of the Axis is in sight. Today, the Middle East is no longer in vital danger. Today there is no physical need, and there are no moral grounds for appeasing the Arabs, if indeed they demand appeasement, which many wise men deny. And yet the infamous, cynical, illegal White Paper, born in the long-ago of British weakness and terror went into effect on April 1st of this year.

April 1st! What an appropriate and bloody All-Fools' Day that must have seemed to the persecuted Jews of Europe! And how the Nazis must have rocked with glee at the April Fool's joke Democracy and Christianity itself had played on the Jews.

Oh, my Zionist friends, persuade our Government to act! I have sometimes been criticized for saying frankly that I believe our country should be the greatest, the strongest, in the world! I think it is the strongest, today. Of that there is no doubt. But we shall never be the greatest if we default, not only in our obligation to stand by the treaties our Government has signed, but in moral and Christian leadership, as we are doing on this very question now.

So please have done, you Americans, with your pleas to the British Prime Minister, who is either a victim of his own Foreign Office, in which case he cannot act; or now persuaded against you himself, in which case he will not act. Make your plea to the two men to whom both he and his Foreign Office must listen: to our President and our Secretary of State. Causes can never be won abroad which are not first won at home.

Make your plea simple: no more promises, no more rhetoric, but action—action which will give sanctuary and liberty to a people who have suffered too much, too unjustly, and too long; action to reinstate the treaty which our Government signed with the British just twenty years ago.

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Smoke Curbs Eased Due to Lack of Fuel

Alexandria Law Is Tempered by Coal Emergency

Alexandria Bureau of The Post, 110 North St. Asaph St. TEmple 6538.

Wartime shortages of smokeless coa lmaking it difficult for consumers to comply with the smoke control ordinance passed by the Alexandria City Council April 18, were cited yesterday by Francis H. Fannon, Alexandria fuel company executive who was appointed earlier this month to the five-man Area No. 1 advisory committee on local fuel distribution for 29 Virginia counties by the Solid Fuels Administration for War.

Fannon, whose appointment was announced last week by C. J. Potter, deputy solid fuel administrator for war, said the national office has informed him that users of one type of solid fuel are expected to substitute less desirable types if necessary, to solve the fuel shortage for the coming season.

Pointing out that the question arises as to how the use of smoky coals will tie in with local ordinances against smoke, he said that the Government places the demands of the emergency first in stressing that communities must use available fuels regardless of the smoke density. The new ordinance in Alexandria which was sponsored by a Citizens Anti-Soot Committee headed by Associate Supreme Court Justice Hugo L. Black, makes unlawful the creation of smoke of a density greater than No. 3 of the Ringleman smoke chart.

At the passage of the ordinance in Alexandria hardships in complying were anticipated by Robert McGahey of the Potomac Yards who said there is a necessity for burning low grade coal and a shortage of smoke-controlling equipment, and by Howard L. Crumley, vice president of the Virginia Public Service Co., who said his company would not be able to obey the ruling while it is required to operate its old plant on the river front as part of the war power pool set up by the Government.

GOP Committee Meeting

The newly formed city committee of the Alexandria Republican Party will discuss plans for work in the November election at its regular meeting this evening at Gadsby's Tavern, it was announced yesterday by John P. Strauss of 5 East Glendale ave., chairman.

He said that as several members were out of town when reorganization was effected at the last meeting, much of the time will be spent tonight in laying the groundwork to form the committee into a working unit. The appointment of ward groups under the newly elected executive board will be announced.

Other officers with Strauss are: F. Clinton Knight, vice chairman; Thomas J. Gore, secretary; and G. Raymond Gaines, treasurer.

During the weeks preceding the poll-tax payment deadline on May 6, Knight conducted an information bureau at his office to Republican residents of the city with voting law requirements.

The appointment of Mrs. Marvin L. Parler of 3206 Circle Hill rd., Alexandria, as chairman of the production corps of the Alexandria Red Cross Chapter, has been announced by Mrs. Arthur J. Mellott of Belle Haven, volunteer special services chairman for the chapter.

Mrs. Claude Ostrom, who resigned the production post, will remain as chairman of the chapter's knitting unit.

Over Toy By $78

Alexandria Cancer Fund Passes Goal

The $1500 quota was oversubscribed by $78.51 in the week-long 1944 cancer drive in Alexandria sponsored by the junior and senior Carlyle Woman's Clubs, it was announced yesterday.

Credited with contributing $832.56, or more than a half of the proceeds which will be added to the Virginia Cancer Foundation's fund for research, popular education and clinics for treatment of the disease, were the employes at the United States Naval Torpedo Station in Alexandria.

Sponsoring the drive at the plant were the commanding officer, Capt. Robert Bentham Simons, USN; William L. Harris, personnel director, and Thomas D. Barclay, who handled the campaign. Station notices were sent to the various departments to explain the purpose of the drive and the employes contributed almost 100 per cent and exceeded their last year's contributions by approximately $400.

D. C. Firm Sues For $11,911 On FPHA Job

A suit for $11,911.40 for balance of a $70,000 payment for installing coal ranges at the Shirley Homes housing project in Arlington has been filed in the United States District Court at Alexandria by the C. Leslie McCrea Heating Equipment Co. of Washington against the Travelers Indemnity Co. of Connecticut, surety for Fred J. Brotherton, Inc., of New Jersey, builders for the Federal Public Housing Authority.

Claiming that as a subcontractor in the $2,619,049 development it has fully completed all work provided for, and the job has been accepted by the FPHA, the McCrea firm charges that Brotherton, Inc., has refused to pay the balance due, plus certain agreed extras.

The suit demands the full amount with interest from February 1 of this year plus costs, and points out that it executed its subcontract on orders from the general contractor.

The action states Brotherton, Inc., entered into a contract with the FPHA on January 5, 1943, and posted bond with the Government for $1,047,620, with the Travelers Indemnity as surety, for prompt payment of all persons supplying labor and materials.

Battle Anniversary Is Observed at V. M. I.

Lexington, Va., May 16 (AP).—Virginia Military Institute ended its two-day semicentennial reunion of the class of 1864 yesterday with a dress rehearsal and review marking the anniversary of the Battle of New Market, and a class supper in the quarters of Lieut. Gen. Charles E. Kilbourne, superintendent of the institution, and a member of the class.

Attending the reunion, besides General Kilbourne, were Dr. Lee Price Calfe, Washington; Dr. Henley M. Fugate, Lynchburg; M. Eugene Hyatt, Norton; Maj. Henry A. Wise, Carters Bridge, and William Steenbergen, Point Pleasant, W. Va.

Notables to Address AFL Parley in Md.

Cumberland, Md., May 16 (AP).—Lawrence B. Fenneman, State director of the War Manpower Commission, and Leo H. McCormick, State director of the OPA, have accepted invitations to address the thirty-ninth convention of the Maryland State and District of Columbia Federation of Labor here May 22 to 25.

Paul W. England, general convention chairman, announced that other speakers will include Henry Treide, regional director of the WMC; Dan W. Tracy, assistant secretary of labor, and Attorney General William C. Walsh

Puppy Treks 800 Miles To Home in Baltimore

Baltimore, May 16 (AP).—Frosty, an 18-month-old puppy, owned by Mrs. Barron E. Holcombe of Baltimore, was lost in Greenville, N. C., three months ago.

Mrs. Holcombe reported today that Frosty had arrived in Baltimore after a journey of 800 miles.

GETTING BACK IN SHAPE — As part of a reconditioning program, patients in the Army's England general hospital, Atlantic City, N. J., scale a wooden wall.

D. C. Measles Mild but There Are Complications

By Elizabeth Henney

This is a serious matter, but you don't need to get hysterical about it. It's measles time in Washington, so be careful with young Johnny and Mary, so they won't get it.

Twenty-six measles cases were reported in the District yesterday, bringing the total to 2451 since January 1.

While this year's crop of measles, like this year's scarlet fever, is in somewhat milder form than last year's, according to Dr. James Cunningham, chief of the communicable disease division of the Health Department, yet it sometimes brings complications.

This season, in several instances, measles has gone into sleeping sickness, and while there have been no fatalities from measles, there are several children who are now pretty ill with the sleeping sickness complication.

Don't Double Up

All this is by way of saying don't let yourself fall into that old-fashioned idea that if Johnny has measles, it's just as well for Mary to have it too, and get it over with.

"It is not necessary," says a prominent pediatrician, who wished to be nameless, "for children ever to have measles."

Unfortunately, there is no vaccine like the type used for typhoid or smallpox, which will last a lifetime, but there are several vaccines which can be given as soon as you find your child has been exposed to the measles. Such a vaccine, while it is efficacious for only a few weeks, will nevertheless either prevent a child from getting measles or result in only a light case with no complications.

Vaccines Entirely Safe

These vaccines, by the way, says the pediatrician, can be given with entire safety, have no serious reactions, and can be given by your own family doctor.

Both the pediatrician and Dr. Cummings concurred on the best proceedure to safeguard your children:

1. Don't take children into crowds, keep them away from stores, movies, zoos, anywhere where there are apt to be many children (especially if your youngsters are inclined to be delicate) until the epidemic dies down which should be in a few weeks, now that warm weather has come.

2. When you find your child has been exposed, have him vaccinated.

3. If your child comes down with the measles, notify the authorities, notify all neighbors where children might have played with your child, tell them about the vaccines (in case they haven't heard of them), and have your other children (if any) vaccinated immediately.

Handling Rules

As to the "measly" child, says Dr. Cumming, "follow the law; isolate the child, boil his dishes, wash and sterilize your hands before and after caring for him."

Says the pediatrician, "Most doctors these days have discarded the old-fashioned idea of keeping the room dark, when a child has measles. It isn't light that hurts his eyes, it's the measles that affects them if the eyes are inclined to be weak. The best procedure to follow is the wish of the child. If he is more comfortable in a ddimmed room, all right; if he likes bright light that's all right, too. All children with measles should of course, be in bed, for the period of the disease, usually 10 days, and under the care of a doctor, because there is always danger of pneumonia or sleeping sickness."

The measles epidemic, which already has reached its peak, says Dr. Cumming, will probably stay at that level for a while and then begin to drop off.

"If all children had a high concept of hand cleanliness," concluded Dr. Cumming, "we wouldn't have so much measles. Children transmit measles by hand to mouth infection."

700 Capital Jews Pray for Martyred Dead of Warsaw

More than 700 Washington Jews Monday night joined in prayer for the martyred Jews in Warsaw who a year ago gave up their lives rather than submit to Nazi tyranny.

The memorial meeting was held at the Jewish Community Center under the auspices of the Community Council and the United Jewish Appeal.

Leading Washington rabbis described the desperate struggle of the ghetto Jews against Nazi troops.

Rabbi Norman Gerstenfeld of the Washington Hebrew Congregation, declared, "They died fighting like men rather than be massacred as slaves."

Rabbi Solomon H. Metz of the Adas Israel Synagogue, said, "Their names will live in history long after those of their oppressors are forgotten."

Rabbi Samuel Levinson led in the recitation of the Kadisch, traditional Hebrew prayer for the dead.

Louis E. Spiegler, executive director of the United Appeal, whose $300,000 campaign for overseas relief was formally launched last night, called upon those present to give generously and to work diligently in behalf of the drive.

Mount Pleasant Citizens' Group Elects Officers

The Mount Pleasant Citizens Association elected new officers Monday night and amended its constitution so certain officers may hold places of leadership in the Civilian Defense program of the Mount Pleasant area. The meeting was held at Barcroft School, 18th and Newton sts. nw. The amendments provided that the president, secretary and treasurer shall be ex-officio chairman, secretary and treasurer, respectively, of the Mount Pleasant Civilian Defense Committee. Anodther amendment established the office of marshal, with the person elected to be ex-officio deputy air raid warden of the area.

Officers elected: James Ring, president; Marcus Borchardt, vice president; John De La Mater, secretary; Earl J. Olmstead, treasurer; Raymond J. Bowen, marshal, and delegates to the Federation of Citizens Clubs, David O'Neil and Miss Virginia O'Neil. Richard M. Barr is retiring president.

Nigerian Delegate To ILO Guest At Dinner Here

E. A. Esua, Nigerian representative on the British Empire's delegation to the recently concluded International Labor Organization conference in Philadelphia, was the guest of honor Monday night of Obon Prince P. Eket Inyang-Udoh, attached to the Nigerian legation here, at a dinner held in the Bengasi Club, 1425 U st. nw.

Esua, who is general secretary of the Nigeria Union of Teachers, told the group he had served on the conference's committee on social and economic minimum standards, acting as technical adviser.

Among those present were Daniel Theard, Second Secretary of the Haitian Legation; Truman Gibson, an aide to Secretary of War Stimson; Dr. Alain Locke of Howard University; George W. Goodman, Red Cross executive; Dr. E. Franklin Frazier, professor of sociology at Howard University, and Mrs. Frazier, and Mrs. Virginia McGuire, former member of the District Board of Welfare.

Watkins Heads Prince Georges Community War Fund Unit

WATKINS

Robert M. Watkins, president of the Prince Georges Chamber of Commerce and member of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, has been named chairman of the Prince Georges County unit of the Community War Fund campaign which will be held in October.

Watkins, a member of the Washington Home Builders Association, developed the Calvert Hills and College Park Homes subdivisions at College Park, Md., from 1925 to 1942. He is president of the University of Maryland Alumni Association, president of the Prince Georges County Real Estate Board and a member of the Prince Georges Kiwanis Club, Birmingham Lodge of Masons, Alpha Tau Omega social fraternity, Omicron Delta Qappa honorary fraternity, Phi Kappa Phi and Alpha Zeta. He also is land purchasing agent for the Land and Planning Commission.

A native of Montgomery County, Md., he was graduated from Mount Airy High School. He has B. A. and M. A. degrees from University of Maryland and was a member of the university's faculty from 1925 to 1936. He is married and has a son, Robert M. Watkins, jr., 12, who attends St. Alban's and sings in the National Cathedral Choir. The Wtkins farmily resides at 4502 Beechwood rd., Calvert Hills.

D. C. Officials To Survey New Aviation Steps

A glimpse into the aviation world of the future will be obtained tomorrow by high Army, Navy and research officials from Washington when they visit Cleveland for a meeting of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics.

The Washington delegation will be headed by Maj. Gen. O. P. Eccles, Assistant Chief of Staff for Air; Rear Admiral E. M. Pace, chief of material for the Navy, and Dr. Vannevar Busch, head of the Office of Scientific Research and Development.

One secret device to be shown is a new high altitude wind tunnel, described as the "most complex piece of construction ever completed in the United States." With this mechanism, which creates conditions found 50,000 feet up, and at temperatures down to 67 degrees below zero, engineers are able to work the bugs out of new aircraft months sooner then usual.

The jet propulsion plane has been tested in the tunnel, which furnishes wind velocities up to 500 miles an hour.

"Use of the new wind tunnel will give the United States an advantage in jet propulsion development over every country in the world," a member of the committee said yesterday.

"The executive conference will concentrate a research and the development of future policy with special emphasis on aircraft engines," John F. Victory, executive secretary of the National Advisory Committee for Aviation, said.

Other officials who will attend are Dr. W. F. Durand, chairman of the jet propulsion committee; Dr. W. F. Reichelderfer, chief of the Weather Bureau; Dr. Edward Warner, vice chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board; and W. A. M. Burden, Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

And Where What's Going On

Entertainment for Servicemen and Women

Servicemen's Ticket Booth, E st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw., free tickets for movies, dances and lectures, 4 to 8:30 p. m.

Pepsi-Cola Center for the armed forces of the United Nations, 13th and G sts. nw., canteen, checking, showers, lounge, all day.

Stage Door Canteen, Belasco Theater, Adjutant General's School Band, Fort Washington, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.; Little Jack Little, 8:30 to 9 p. m.; Bill Strickland, Lotus Restaurant, 9 to 9:45 p. m.; Milton Barrett, barytone, with Dick Rees, piano, 9:50 to 10:20 p. m.; Earle Theater, 10:30 p. m.

Bird Walk, Chevy Chase Lake, Md., meet at railroad crossing adjacent to the end of Chevy Chase bus line, approximately 2 miles north of District of Columbia line on Connecticut ave., 7:30 a. m.

Badminton, table tennis, Roosevelt Center, 13th and Upshur sts. nw., 7 p. m.

Women's Basketball, Western Center, 35th and R sts. nw., 7 p. m.

Square dancing, Banneker Service Club (Negro), 2500 Georgia ave.

Square dancing, Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Dance, USO Jewish Center, 16th and Q sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Dance, orchestra, Masonic Service Center, 13th and New York ave., 8 p. m.

Dance, Service Men's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., 8 p. m.

Dance, Silver Spring USO, 8644 Georgia ave., 8 p. m.

Organ Recital, Washington Chapel, 16th and Columbia rd. nw., 8 p. m.

Walsh Club Radio Players, Walsh Club, rear 1323 22nd st. nw., 8 p. m.

Canteen, hostesses, games, refreshments, Bennet Service Club, 613 C st. nw., 8 p. m.

Concert, Navy Band Orch., 8 p. m., First Anniversary Celebration, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, guest speaker, Salvation Army USO, 801 Market Space nw., 8:30 p. m.

Social Evening, dancing, refreshments, Temple Youth Group, 8th and Eye sts. nw., 8:30 p. m.

Square dancing, YWCA, 17th and K sts. nw., 8:30 to 10:30 p. m.

Dance, National Council of Jewish Juniors, Mayflower, 9 p. m. Entertainment for Civilian Warworkers.

Physical Culture Class for women warworkers, Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., 8 p. m.

7:45 p. m.—Trinity Methodist Church, 5th st. and Seward Square se. Chevy Chase Chanters present program.

Luncheons, Dinners and Meetings

Society for the Advancement of Management, Statler, meeting 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; luncheon, 12:30 p. m.; dinner, 7:30 p. m.

National Association of Food Brokers, Statler, meeting, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; luncheon, 12:30 p. m.

National Association of Manufacturers Economic Security Committee, Statler, meeting, 10 a. m.

Washington Trade Association Executives, Statler, luncheon, 12:30 p. m.

Advertising Club of Washington, Statler, luncheon, 12:30 p. m.

Rotary Club, Willard, luncheon, 12:30 p. m.

Federal Bar Association, Schneider's Restaurant, 427 11th st. nw., 12:30 p. m.

Women's National Press Clubs, Willard, luncheon, 1 p. m.

Soroptimist Club, Willard, luncheon, 1 p. m.

National Association of Cost Accountants, Ebbitt, dinner, 6 p. m.

American Council of Learned Societies, Statler, dinner, 7 p. m.

D. C. Federation of Federal Employes Union, Willard, meeting, 8 p. m.

Biosophy Club, Jewish Community Center, 16th and Que sts. nw., meeting, 8:30 p. m.

Classes and Lectures

Sewing, costume jewelry, art, advanced Spanish, USO NCCS, 1814 N st. nw., 7:30 p. m.

Bridge Lessons (advanced), ping pong, square dancing, free, Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Drama Guild, Garnet Patterson Center, 10th and U sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Arts and Crafts Class, USO Club, 1814 N st. nw., 8 to 10 p. m.

Physical Culture for women warworkers, Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Dancing and square dancing, bridge, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., 8:30 p. m.

Rhumba tango, Walsh Club, rear 1323 22d st. nw., 8:45 p. m.

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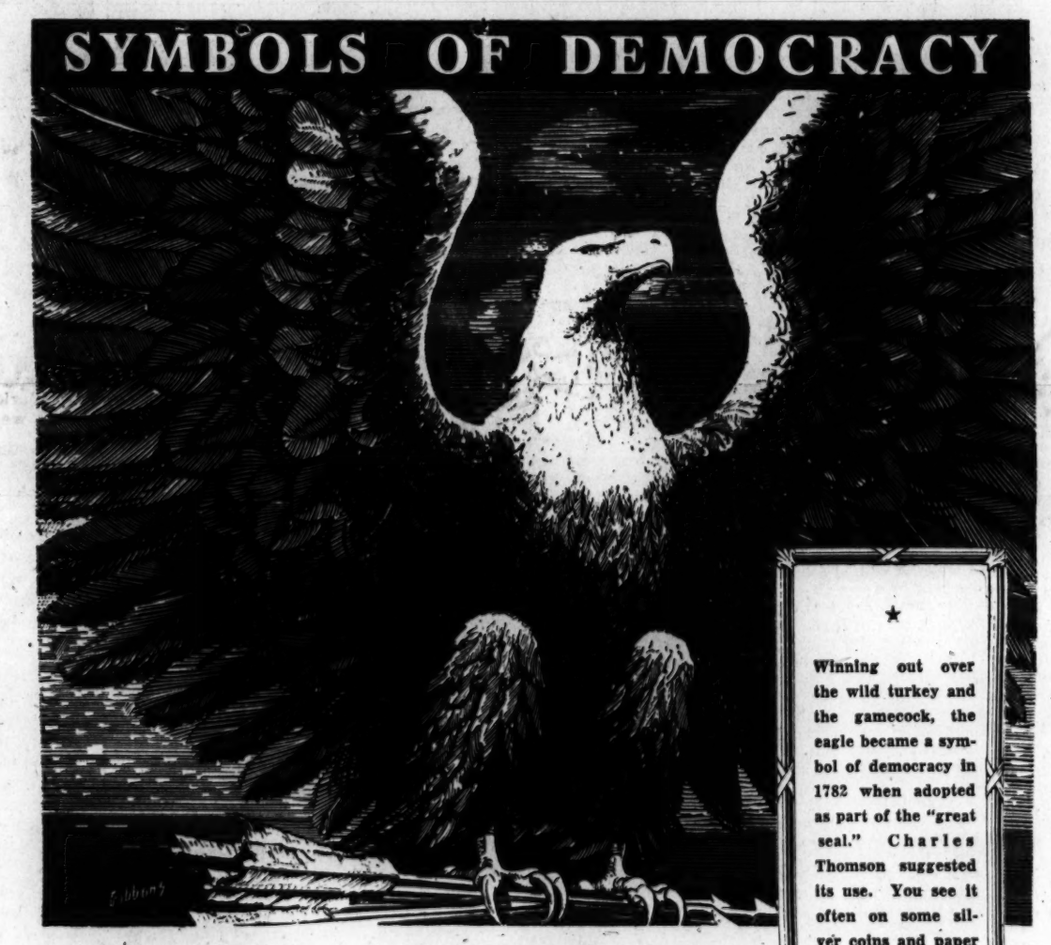

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Montgomery Board Gets New Budget

A tentative budget of $3,523,405.14 for the fiscal year beginning July 1 was presented the Board of Montgomery County Commissioners yesterday at its meeting in Rockville, by J. Forest Walker, clerk to the board, and Alexander K. Hancock, county comptroller.

Although the budget is slightly higher than last year's $3,516,770.99, the board does not contemplate any change in the tax rate of $1.50 on each $100 assessed property. Before the budget is adopted by July 1 there will be a public hearing at Rockville. The commissioners pointed out there may be minor changes in the budget before it is presented to the public.

The petition filed by James W. Gill, attorney for Emory Bogley, requesting the rezoning of property on Old Georgetown rd., from residential "A" to commercial "D," has been withdrawn, the Board announced. Hearing for the rezoning, which was being opposed by civic associations and many residents, had been set for May 24 in the Bethesda County Building. Gill in his notification of withdrawal to the board, said it is "not a desirable time for the hearing because of the recent and future study meetings being held in Bethesda on land uses and the possibility of adopting "within a reasonable time of a master plan for land uses."

Denies Request

The board denied a request from Bethesda residents to establish an emergency ambulance service to be operated at county expense for the Bethesda community. The movement for such a project grew in the community after an injured child reportedly lay in the street for 30 minutes waiting for an ambulance after a recent accident.

Prior to the board's action, Commissioner William Prescott emphasized "if emergency hospital service is furnished for the Bethesda community, similar service will also have to be given for each section of the county so that all taxpayers and citizens may have equivalent service available."

"This would mean," he said, "the purchase, location quarters, operation, payment and arrangement of personnel, for six publicly owned ambulances so that an ambulance service could be available in each community of the county for emergency calls." The installation of such a service would result in "a large and continuing expense which the county commissioners do not feel justified at this time in undertaking," the board voted.

The problem, the board said, should be worked out by the active hospital organizations in the county or by paid and volunteer fire departments.

The commissioners in a resolution pointed out that in Washington, emergency ambulance service is provided by hospitals. The operation of an emergency ambulance is "particularly important as doctors and nurses generally accompany the ambulance on emergency runs," the board said.

Miss Margaret Ainsworth, Olney, was appointed a clerk in the board of health department at a salary of $1200 a year to replace Alverna Righter, who has resigned. The recommendation was made by Dr. V. L. Ellicott, county health officer. Due to the resignation of Mrs. Josephine D. Wootton as assistant dispatcher in the police radio communications system, Simms Moxley, Damascus, night desk clerk at the Rockville Police Station was appointed in Mrs. Wootton's place at an annual salary of $1800.

Douglas Dosh, Gaithersburg, was named to take over Moxley's job at $1500 a year. Another resignation was that of Mrs. Chase Donaldson, executive secretary of the Montgomery County Victory Garden Committee for the Bethesda-Chevy Chase area, who will move to Wilmington, Del. The vacancy will be filled by Mrs. Charles F. Baldwin.

Prohibits Parking

The board voted to prohibit parking of cars at all times on the south side of West Standford st., Chevy Chase, from the 4510 block through to 4526, effective as soon as signs can be erected.

Tax anticipation certificates amounting to $450,000 beginning yesterday for four months were awarded equally to the Suburban National Bank, Silver Spring, and the Farmers Bank & Trust Co., Rockville, whose bids on interest were ⅞ of 1 per cent.

A request from Dr. V. L. Elliott, county health officer, for the purchase of a motion picture projector to be used in the educational program of the health department, was filed for further consideration.

Salary increases for clerks in the Board of Election Supervisors' office were approved by the board. They are Ruth C. Johnson and Elizabeth Daniel, both raised to $140 a month; Helen P. Maddor and Mary Ann Connellee, to $120 a month each.

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TELEVISION PREVIEW—Here is one of the creatures the television industry has ready for future programs. It's the Pup-Puppet Himself, held by Morgan Dennis, etcher and illustrator of dog subjects, who created the pup.

Poolesville Pilot, Decorated, Reported Missing in Action

First Lieut. Norman Davis Hersberger, USAAF, 25, is reported missing in action in the European theater, the War Department notified his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hersberger, Poolesville, Md., yesterday.

The Hersbergers had been rejoicing for the last few weeks over a message from Brig. Gen. E. R. Quesada, commanding officer of the Ninth Air Support Command, who wrote: "I'm sure you are proud of your son—we are," in a letter to Mrs. Hersberger informing her that her son was awarded the Air Medal.

A fighter pilot, "Hersh," as he was called, flew a P-47. He has been overseas since December. Before entering the service he worked as a stock clerk for Reed Brothers, Rockville, Md. He is a graduate of the Poolesville High School.

News of "Hersh" missing in action came to the Hersbergers by telegram from the War Department late Monday night.

Injured in Fall

Charles Ford, 17, of 4807 Baltimore ave., Bethesda, suffered bruises and a sprained back yesterday when he fell from a tree at the residence of Representative Carl Vinson (D., Ga.), 4 Primrose st. Chevy Chase, while working for a tree surgery firm.

The injured man lay 20 minutes on the ground before an ambulance was available to carry him to the Suburban Hospital, Bethesda, police said. The rescue call was put into the Chevy Chase Fire Department but since it lacks ambulance service the call was referred to the Kensington Rescue Squad, which carried him to the hospital.

Budget Blanks Mailed

Budget blanks for member agencies of the Montgomery County Community Chest have been mailed with the request that they be completed and returned to Rockville, by June 7, Miss Mary E. Lucas, executive secretary, announced yesterday.

"Since these budgets must be reviewed by the county budget committee before they are sent by June 30 to the office of the Community War Fund," Miss Lucas said, "it is important that individual agency budgets be submitted early in June, not later than June 7."

TB Office Moved

Headquarters of the Montgomery County Tuberculosis Association have been moved from the Housing Guild office on Wisconsin ave., Bethesda, to 7649 Georgetown rd., in the Bowling Center building, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Dexter Bullard, president. The telephone number remains the same, Wisconsin 6718.

Draft Officials To Confer in Va. On Rule Changes

Richmond, Va., May 16 (AP).—To acquaint Virginia Selective Service officials with recent policy changes and revisions in draft regulations, a series of special conferences will be held in various sections of the State from June 1 to June 9, Col. Mills F. Neal, State Selective Service director, announced yesterday.

Meetings are scheduled at Norfolk and Newport News, June 1; Richmond, June 2; Winchester, June 5; Staunton and Fredericksburg, June 6; Roanoke and Charlottesville, June 7; Wytheville, June 8, and Bristol and Danville, June 9.

Colonel Neal said the conferences have been arranged to familiarize draft officials with the regulations for easy deferment of men over 26 years of age as outlined recently by General Hershey.

Danville Knit Plant Strikers Back on Job

Danville, Va., May 16 (AP).—Workers in the Danville Knitting Mills who struck yesterday afternoon as a protest to the slowness with which a working agreement between the Textile Workers Union of America and the management is being negotiated, returned to work today.

This was done at the direction of officials of the local TWUOA.

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Habeas Corpus Plea Dropped By Bigamist

Frank D. Dewar of Washington, convicted bigamist, yesterday requested the Alexandria Corporation Court to dismiss his application for a writ of habeas corpus. Dewar married a naval officer's daughter while still married. He was returned to jail.

State Senator Andrew W. Clarke, who was appointed by the court to represent the former sailor, said yesterday that the application had been entered through a misunderstanding. Clarke explained:

"When Dewar was preparing his petition in Richmond, he wrote for all the papers bearing on the case, but the clerk of the Corporation Court omitted to send a very substantial part. Under the Virginia constitution every man, before he can be tried for a criminal offense, must be indicted by a grand jury.

"In 1940 the General Assembly enacted a law whereby he could waive the indictment, and be tried on an information. Dewar signed a waiver, but the copy was not forwarded to him and he thought he had grounds for a reversible error, but that is not true in his case."

The girl, Bette Dreisenstock, daughter of Capt. Joseph Y. Dreisenstock, USN, of 5803 Chevy Chase Parkway, whom Dewar married in Alexandria on July 21, 1943, was in court yesterday.

The bigamy charges were made by Captain Dreisenstock, who said he had begun to suspect the sailor shortly before he married Bette.

Two Va. Firms to Get Security Awards

Richmond, Va., May 16 (AP).—National Security Awards will be awarded two Virginia firms, the State OCD announced yesterday. The American Tobacco Co. of Richmond will receive the award May 29 and the Merck Co. of Elkton, to be similarly honored June 13.

Presentation to the American Tobacco Co. will be made at a luncheon meeting here, the princi- Representative Dave E. Satterfield, pal address to be delivered by jr., while speaking at the Elkton presentation will be Governor Darden. The award will be received by George Merck, president of the company.

Fire Razes Md. Home

Frederick, Md., May 16.—Fire destroyed the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Painter at Poolesville yesterday. Members of the family and firemen from Gaithersburg and Rockville were able to save but a few pieces of furniture. Firemen said the blaze apparently originated from faulty electric wiring.

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Fairfax Grand Jury Indicts 7; Some Trials Set

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Indictments were returned against seven persons by a grand jury in the Fairfax County Circuit Court, at the opening day of the May term. The jury, with R. S. Billups as foreman, returned true bills against the following:

Albert Harris, jr., Negro, murder; James A. Brown, Negro, grand larceny; Dexter E. Staton, jr., Howsie D. Bryant and Roy E. Harris, joint indictment for grand larceny; Roland Trammell, felonious seizure of infant, and Mack Tate, escaping from convict camp.

Albert Harris, jr., charged with shooting R. T. Posey, Negro, entered a plea of not guilty, and date for trial set for May 26. Brown, pleading guilty, had his case referred to the State probation officer for investigation, pending imposition of sentence.

Staton, Bryant and Roy E. Harris, charged with robbing George H. Sullivan of $1600, entered pleas of not guilty, and they will be given a hearing May 29. Trammell entered a not guilty plea and will be tried June 8. A two-year suspended sentence was imposed by Judge Paul E. Brown on Tate following a plea of guilty.

Blood Donor Unit to Meet

A meeting of the Falls Church Unit of the Blood Donor Committee of the Fairfax County Chapter, American Red Cross, will be held Monday, May 22, at 2:30 p. m., at the home of the chairman, Mrs. James W. Brown, East Jefferson st., when plans will be made for the next visit of the Blood Donor Mobile Unit at the Presbyterian Church, East Broad and Fairfax sts., on Friday, June 12.

To Name 33 Delegates

Thirty-three Fairfax County delegates to the Virginia State Democratic Convention in Roanoke July 8 will be elected today at the Fairfax County Courthouse, 11 a. m., at the convention of Fairfax County Democrats. If no more than 33 file as candidates, the chairman of the county democratic committee, George B. Robey, will declare them delegates without having to be elected.

To Install Officers

Installation of the following new officers will feature the meeting of the Vienna Parent-Teacher Association tonight at 8 in the Elementary School auditorium: President, Mrs. Raymond Blaine; vice president, Mrs. Hugh McDiamind; secretary, Mrs. John Wynn, and treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Moreland.

Election Tonight

The annual meeting of the Fairfax County Council of Religious Education will be held at the Fairfax Methodist Church tonight at 8, when officers for the new year will be elected. Reports will be presented on the year's work of the organization.

A special meeting of the staff of Camp Wakanda, sponsored by the Methodist churches of Vienna, Oakton, Dunn Loring, Merrifield, Andrew Chapel, Langley and Annandale, will be held tonight at 8 in the Vienna Methodist Church. The camp will be open from July 17 to 24.

Firemen's Benefit

The Herndon Volunteer Fire Department, Inc., is sponsoring its annual benefit carnival this week and through Saturday night, May 27, on the property of Mrs. B. L. Poole, corner of Elden and Locust sts. Proceeds from the affair will be used for the construction of a new firehouse and recreation center.

Charlottesville Flier Is Killed in Action

Charlottesville, Va., May 16.—Lieut. Harry Gold Linton, jr., 22, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Linton of this city, has been killed in action over Romania, according to word recevied from the War Department. The telegram received by his father stated that he met his death on April 24.

Lieutenant Linton attended local schools and following his graduation from Lane High entered Virginia Polytechnic Institute. Volunteering for service in the Air Corps, he enlisted on April 28, 1942. He received his wings and was commissioned a second lieutenant at Spence Field, Moultrie, Ga., on June 30 last.

The last letter from him, dated April 17, just one week before he met death, was received here last Saturday. He stated that he had recently been on several missions, and wsihed that he could tell of some of his experiences.

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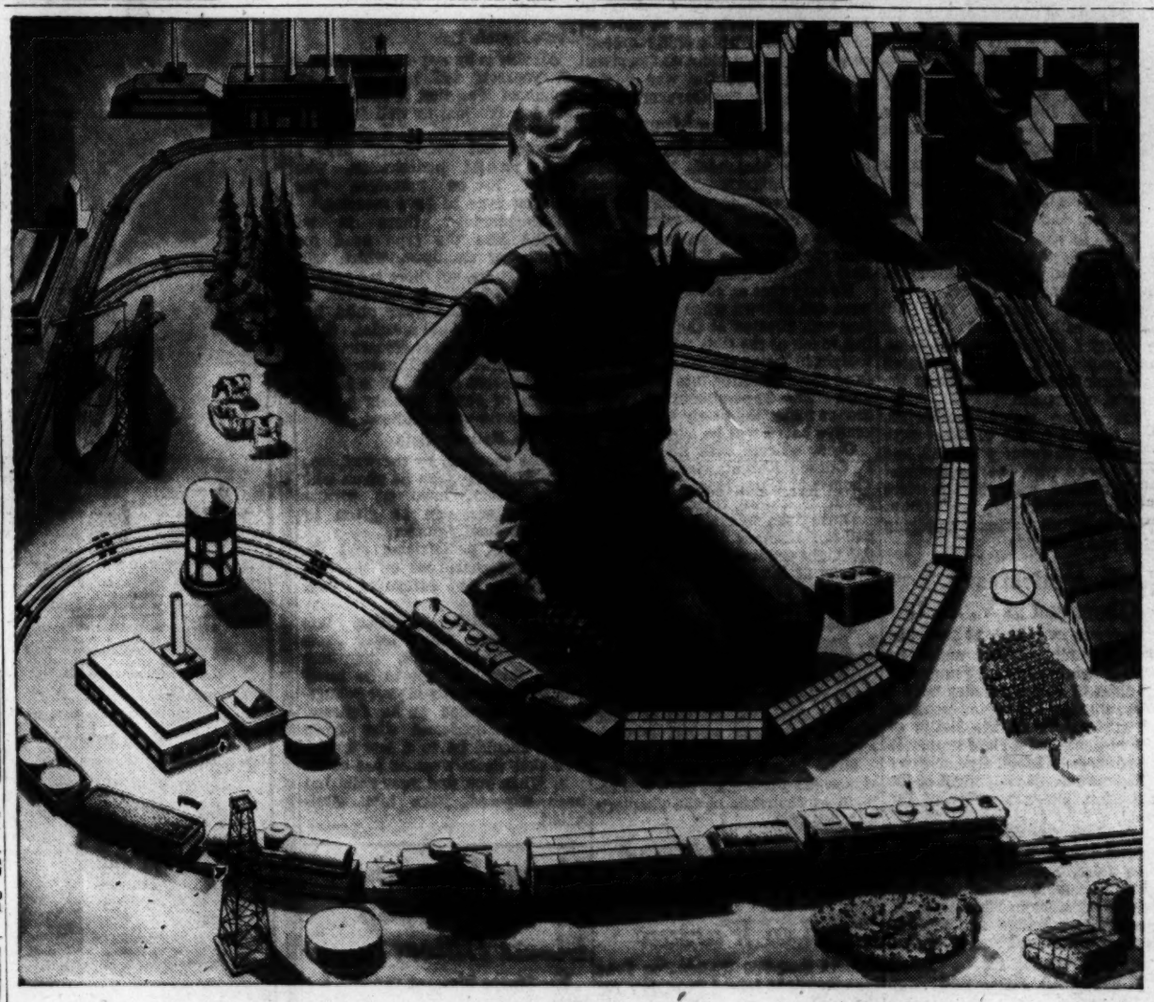

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It's keeping all of the railroads hustling these days, Jimmy. A freight train starts on its way somewhere every four seconds. Every six minutes, a troop train. And there's a tremendous amount of civilian travel being handled at the same time.

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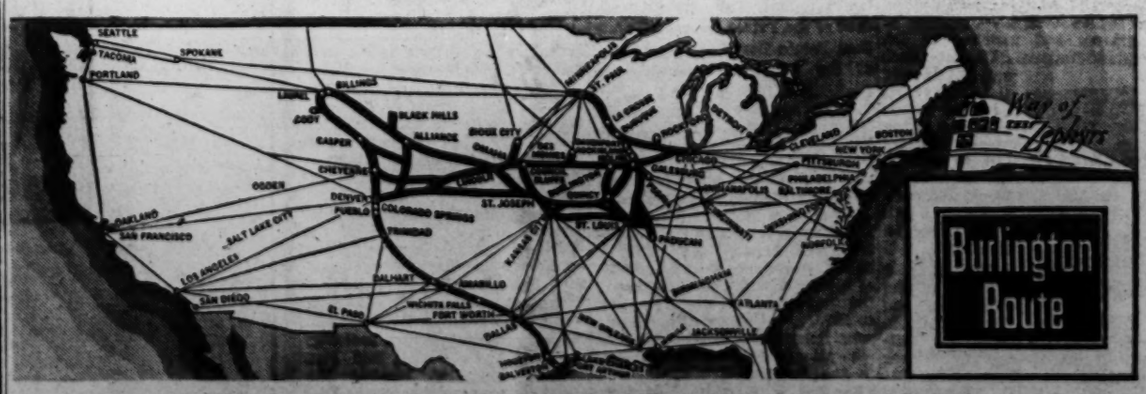
Dad is right, Jimmy. There's a lot of work for all of us in the peacetime days ahead. And the Burlington is proud to be among the army of railroads which will team up to handle the lion's share of tomorrow's transportation job—just as they're handling today's.



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Reception Will Celebrate Afghanistan Independence; Is First of Its Kind Here

ANOTHER BATCH OF engraved, crested cards have gone out to official and diplomatic Washingtonians . . . and plans for another reception to celebrate a foreign country's independence have been completed.

On Saturday, May 27, the Minister of Afghanistan, Abdol Hosayn Aziz, and members of his staff will greet several hundred Capitalites at the legation at 2001 Twenty fourth st. The fete will be the first of its kind in Washington.

A comparatively short time ago, the first Minister of Afghanistan arrived here and purchased for his country the former residence of Mrs. Edwin B. Parker. Since then he has been busy establishing himself, his staff and the affairs of his country in a Nation's Capital in which his ruler had never been directly represented before.

MOST AMERICANS, knowing little about the land that was under the sway of Genghis Khan and his Mongol hordes in the thirteenth century, ascribe to it the razzle-dazzle glamour generally attributed to the "Arabian Nights" countries.

A Washingtonian who spent five years there before the war, however, tells me that the mountain kingdom of Afghanistan, while fascinating in many respecst, is a country correctly called "the land of rocks and stones and sanguinary feuds."

The government is monarchial and the laws and customs those of Islam. Legislative power is vested in a Parliament consisting of a King, a Senate of 45 members appointed for life by the King and a national assembly of 109 elected members. The reigning King is 30-year-old Mohammed Zahir Shah, who ascended the throne after this father was assassinated, and who proclaimed a new constitution shortly afterward to abolish slavery and to make education compulsory.

IF YOU'RE A stickler for correct pronunciation, you'll call Minister Aziz's name as though the "z's" were hissed. And if you want to be up on your diplomatic p's and q's, you'll remember that the Minister had to his credit a diplomatic career already well established when he came to Washington last spring.

He had served as Minister to Rome and Ambassador to Moscow, and he had also been Minister of Telegraph, Telegraph, Radio and Postoffice in his homeland. Yes, it's all one job in Afghanistan.

There'll be another Aziz in the receiving line on May 27. He is the Legation's Second Secretary, Mohammed Ayoub Aziz, son of the Minister. Although he is only 23 years old, he has been in his country's service for a number of years. A graduate of the University of Karbul, he speaks seven languages fluently, among them English.

His trip to this country was the first outside his homeland, but he is already getting onto American ways in a manner that should make old-timers here sit up and take notice.

One of his favorite recreations is ice skating and the manager of a local rink tells me that the young diplomat has become a skating expert in the last few months.

"A QUARTER CENTURY of experience has taught me there are four ways to rate Army officers," said a general who has trained hundreds of them in the past 25 years.

The statement popped up in dinner table talk the other evening after somebody asked the general which qualities he considered most valuable in the men who worked under him.

"Yes, there are four classifications," he went on, "each one governing a certain group of officers.

"First, there are the men who are intelligent and industrious. They make excellent executives, adjutants and staff workers—for obvious reasons.

"Second, are the intelligent and lazy officers who, believe it or not, frequently turn out to be the most valuable men in any outfit. They are cut to order to command other men. Here's why: They manage to get a job done with a minimum of effort, and they know how to cut through red tape in nothing flat.

"Third, are the stupid and lazy men who have to be asigned menial tasks under close supervision. They are dead weights.

"Fourth, last, and worst, are the stupid and industrious men, who have to be watched every minute. Their lack of intelligence, coupled with energy, is a dangerous combination. They're always getting things balled up and continually confound any existing confusion. Give me a stupid and lazy officer any day . . . rather than a stupid and industrious one!"

NEWS IN A NOTE-SHELL: Looks as if this is Editors' and Writers' Month in Washington. Two outstanding parties coming up in the Capital calendar next week will feature New York notables in the magazine world.

On Sunday, for instance, Miss Gerry Dick, Washington editor of American Magazine, will entertain at a 5-to-7 party in honor of Arthur Motley, publisher of American Magazine, and Mrs. Motley and Sumner Blossom, editor of the same publication, and Mrs. Blossom.

Other feature attractions there will be Thomas H. Beck, publisher of Crowell-Collier publications, and Mrs. Beck. The party, which will take place at 2500 Que st, is sure, to be—something special.

And then, next Wednesday, Mrs. Churchill Stoneborough will gather in a distinguished list of Capitalites to greet Harry Bull, editor of Town and Country, the magazine for which Mrs. Stoneborough writes a "Washington Letter." The Pan-American Room of the Mayflower will be the setting for this party.

Also along the literary line will be the 4-to-8 get-together at which Mr. and Mrs. Rixey Smith will entertain Sunday, May 28, in honor of Marie Manning Gasch, whose current book, "Ladies Now and Then," is a favorite topic of talk in Washington. The fete will take place at Gracelands, the Smiths' lovely home in nearby Virginia.

Dr. Escalante Has Returned, Was in N. Y.

The Venezuelan Ambassador, Dr. Diogenes Escalante, returned from New York yesterday after spending some time with Dr. C. Parra-Perez, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Venezuela, who is in New York with his family on an unofficial visit.

It is understood that Dr. Parra-Perez will come to Washington the latter part of May to call on the Secretary of State, Cordell Hull.

The Chilean Ambassador and Senora de Michels will be the guests of honor when Lieut. and Mrs. Luther Matthew Bolton entertain at dinner Wednesday, May 24, at the 1925 F Street Club.

The Counselor at the Greek Embassy and Mme. Philon were hosts yesterday at an informal reception at their home just off Chevy Chase Circle.

Attending the 6 to 8 p. m. party were more than 100 of their friends in diplomatic, official and residential circles.

Dr. and Mrs. William A. Morgan have returned to Washington from Hot Springs, Va., where they spent 10 days at The Homestead.

Peter Pears of Washington has returned from a visit with his father, Sir Peter Pears of the British War Information Bureau in New York.

Art Exhibit Is Extended

In response to many requests, the exhibit of Alice Barney paintings at the Arts Club will be extended through May 25. Opened the latter part of April with Mrs. Roosevelt and other notables in attendance, the exhibit includes portraits of well-known Washingtonians as well as miniatures and life studies.

Mrs. Barney, for years prominent in social and philanthropic activities here, established Barney Neighborhood Settlement House, the Sylvan Theater and produced many plays and pageants.

Tiffany

MAY BRIDE is Mrs. Joseph Murray Decker who was recently wedded to Lieutenant Decker, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Decker of Washington. She is the former Hattie Alberta Cross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell W. Cross of Croom, Md.

ENGAGED IS Miss Rose Mary Isabella to Sergt. Harry J. Regan, jr., of the Army Air Forces. Her betrothal is announced by Mr. and Mrs. John M. DeMarco, her brother-in-law and sister, with whom she makes her home

Series of Prenuptial Parties Continues for Caroline Embry

Another in the series of parties honoring Miss Caroline Embry, whose marriage to Lieut. Thomas Turner, USN, will take place Saturday, was held yesterday when Mrs. Benjamin Harrison Lingo and her daughter, Miss Jane Lingo, entertained at tea.

Assisting Mrs. Lingo were Mrs. Samuel James Campbell and her house guest, Mrs. Dixie Cotton Herrin, New York; Mrs. Barton Stone Embry, mother of the bride-elect; Mrs. Henry M. Roberts; Mrs. Oliver Bagby, Annapolis; Miss Florence Berryman, Mrs. Finley Calvert and Mrs. Harry S. Truman.

Among guests at the 4 to 6 p. m. party were Mrs. W. E. Coleman, Miss Blanca Vargas, the Misses Eileen and Hope Erwin, Miss Monica Gaillard, Miss Florence Williams, Miss Jewel Davis, Miss Mary Langer, Miss Emily Jones, Miss Margaret Truman, Miss Elaine Trimble, Miss Anne Guthrie, Miss Abby Willard and many more.

Following the wedding rehearsal Friday evening, Col. and Mrs. Edward Garrett Cowen, uncle and aunt of the bride-elect, will be hosts at a buffet supper in the garden of their home. Guests will include members of the bridal party and out-of-town guests.

Back to Sun and Stars for Summer Demands New Beauty Care for Skin

By Martha Ellyn

Brief and pretty are summer's fashions. Beauty has come out into the open, not alone because designers thought arms and back should go bare, but conservation of fabrics plays a part in this brevity. it is present in evening and sportsclothes. "diggerduds" for gardening and "work-a-fores" for housework.

Martha Ellyn

Photo New York Institute

DAYTIME COOLNESS, is assured when a backless, sleeveless cotton frock like one shown here is worn. This plaid playdress is especially attractive because of white broadcloth pleated edges, button-back bodice and slash pockets

Whether you are soaking up sun on a beach, weeding your own garden patch, dancing on a hot night, ironing, dusting the house, or going to market, there's no reason to be done up in yards and yards of fabric. Cool judgment in hot weather clothing is to be commended.

Watch Skin Care

Proper care of the skin is a part of this cool judgment. Arms, elbows, back and chest are often neglected. So look to all parts of your skin that will be exposed with these summer "coolies."

Cosmeticians have stepped right along with the bare arms and back fashion decree, and offered suggestions for that good groomed look. One treatment suggested is a simple 1-2-3 procedure which you can give yourself in this way:

First scrub the skin with a cream, specially designed for this purpose. Scrub with a soft nail brush or coarse washcloth. This procedure will remove dried, discolored skin cuticle—commonly known as "dead skin"—so that the smooth underskin is revealed.

Next massage with a rich creamy emollient—oil cream—to make firm and strengthen muscles, as well as to soften and lubricate the skin surface. Apply a cool astringent. Then pat a soothing lotion into the skin to give it a satin-smooth finish.

Value in Special Back Treatment

Giving one's self back beauty care does more than make it attractive. Much of the value of back treatment lies in working along each side of the spine where the nerves are near the surface. This relaxes the whole system and also tones up the skin. Massaging shoulders and neck will also help prevent a "dowager's hump."

A long-handled brush is of help in back care. Dry skin can be sloughed off by scrubbing with a back brush. Then apply a special oil to counteract dryness and soften the skin. The oil should remain on for the period of massage and then be removed with tissues and towels and the last traces rubbed away with a freshener lotion.

Plan for Office Workers

The busy office women who have to wait for weekends to snatch the sun's rays, can't effect a good suntan soon. The beauticians have planned for this too. They've made up a combination of foundation and powder lotion.

Slight skin blemishes can be covered with a cream especially designed for that purpose. Remember that annoying pimples are often caused by improper diet. So look to your diet as well as your scrubbing and anointing if you want to have skin that will meet the test of sleeveless, backless costumes.

Wyant-Short Rites Read; Tabers to Live in N. Y.

MISS JEAN CONNOR
. . . Plans Wedding in Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Myron S. Short of Buffalo, N. Y., announce the marriage of their daughter, Winifred, to Capt. Adam Martin Wyant, jr., USA, son of Mrs. Adam Martin Wyant and the late Representative Wyant of Greensburg, Pa., and Washington.

The ceremony, which took place yesterday in the home of Maj. and Mrs. Philip Larner Gore, was performed by Chaplain Lieut. Col. Walter B. Zimmerman, USA, office of the Chief of Chaplains, assisted by Dr. Albert Joseph McCartney of Covenant-First Presbyterian Church.

Plan Home in New York

Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Wise of 580 Park ave., N. Y., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Pauline Wise McIlwaine, to Charles Taber, son of Representative and Mrs. John Taber of Auburn, N. Y., and Washington. The ceremony took place Saturday in the Second Presbyterian Church in Auburn.

The bridegroom, who recently received a medical discharge from the Navy, attended St. Alban's, the Hill School and Wesleyan College. The couple will live in New York.

Return From Trip

Making their home at the Shoreham are Col. and Mrs. John W. McEachren, recently married in Kenwood, Md. The bride was Miss Carola Manning, daughter of Mrs. Russell Hardy and the late Charles F. Manning of Northampton, Mass. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. John E. McEachren of Detroit, Mich., and the late Mr. McEachren.

Mrs. McEachren wore ivory satin with tulle veil held with orange blossoms; she carried white orchids, roses and lilies of the valley. Her stepfather escorted her to the altar.

Reception Follows

Mrs. Gordon Barton of McLean, Va., was matron of honor. Comdr. J. Harold Stewart, USNR, was best man. Ushers were Lieut. Col. Charles G. Hardin, jr, AUS, and Lieut. Comdr. Leslie Mills, USNR. The ceremony, read by Canon Theodore C. Wedel, was followed by a reception.

The bride attended the Maret French School and Friends School in Washington and was graduated from Bennington College. Colonel McEachren is on duty with the War Department here.

Jean Connor's Betrothal Told

Col. and Mrs. Edward H. Connor, jr., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean, to Lieut. Ray Edison Porter, jr., AUS, son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Ray E. Porter of Fort Myer, Va.

The wedding will take place May 25 at Camp Howze, Texas. Miss Connor will be accompanied by her mother and her sister, Patricia. Mrs. Porter and her daughter, Patricia, will also attend.

Ration Points

BEEFSTEAKS, roasts, canned milk, butter, margarine, cheese. Red stamps A-8, B-8, C-8, D-8, E-8, F-8, G-8 H-8, J-8, K-8, L-8, M-8, N-8, P-8 Q-8, R-8, S-8 and T-8 valid indefinitely. Red tokens may be used as change.

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GASOLINE—Coupons A-10 valid through August 8, B-2 and C-2 good for 5 gallons each, B-3 and C-3 good for 5 gallons each. Expire according to date lindicated in the individual books.

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Mary Haworth's Mail

Is Girl Justified in Putting Man in Dog-House Because He Telephoned Another Girl, For No Reason, During His Date With Her?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: For some time I have been going with a girl who attends an exclusive college close to mine. We had known each other for some time before we started dating. It took me no time to realize I was very much in love with her, and she professes similar feelings. I am an only child and have always had my own way. She is not an only child; but very spoiled and pampered. We have much in common as regards religion and education, although we have slight philosophic differences. I am a year older than she.

Recently a very unpleasant situation arose, in which I displayed remarkable lack of taste and delicacy. We were together with another couple when I, for no reason at all, called another girl by telephone. I had nothing to say, nor any desire to speak with her. I had dated her a couple of times, but she meant nothing whatsoever to me. She and my girl, Hope, are acquaintances. Well, our conversation was flip and abbreviated; but my girl was furious. She said if I really loved her I wouldn't do a thing like that, especially in the presence of another couple. I tried to explain it was done on the spur of the moment and meant nothing.

Girl Now Rejects Idea of Marriage

NOW, she says she still loves me very much, but that there has been a change in the intensity of her feeling. She says if I had asked her to marry me before that phone call, she would have consented; but now she isn't sure. Is that indecision justified? For some reason that I can't ascertain, she fails to trust me completely. She is an extremely sensitive person and takes offense at actions such as I have described. I love her so much that I want to get back to the old status quo as soon as possible, so that I can officially announce our engagement.

Do you think if she really loves me that she will let my picayune thoughtlessness upset all our plans? I know it hurt her very much; and it would me, too; but should so much stress be placed upon it? Please give this matter careful consideration in an early reply. KEN.

More to Incident Than First Appears

DEAR KEN: You deserve some credit for readily admitting you were guilty of remarkably bad taste in the instance described; and in conceding that you would have smarted, too, had the situation been reversed. But the incident is not to be dismissed as a gesture of picayune thoughtlessness. Rather, it was the spontaneous eruption of a streak of willful irrational cruelty in your spoiled child nature. It was an act which conclusively corroborated Hope's nascent conviction that you are as yet unworthy of her complete love and trust.

She is thoroughly justified in attaching great significance to the incident,—and doubtless it is the proverbial intuition of womankind, rather than hurt pride, which tells her so. She ought indeed to think twice about marrying you, after what happened. And, in fact, it is my opinion she should not marry you at all,—because a wound of purely malicious, unprovoked origin such as you dealt her would be apt to remain as a perennial sore spot in a continued or more intimate association; whereas it can be healed by forgiving, and at the same time completely renouncing and forgetting, the person who experimentally inflicted it.

Principal Reason Why Man Is Sorry

ALTHOUGH there is a flavor of real contrition in your recital of events, I believe your readiness to admit and deplore your mistake is primarily due to the fact that it boomeranged and floored *you*, not the girl. In deliberately trying to hurt her (as you were); in testing your power to subjugate her spirit via the refined torture technique, you had not expected to touch off dynamite. Doubtless you expected her to react with wistful jealousy, redoubling her efforts to please you, etc.

Her fiery reaction of honest outrage sent your smarty calculations up in smoke; and you have been fumbling to explain yourself ever since;—although still not ready to face the fact that you were, until then, a self-loving coxcomb, who, in that hour, aimed a lance at her breast that came to rest in your own. Had she borne the incident in suffering silence,—letting you "get away with it,"—you would be little concerned with the fact that you had hurt her.

Girl Is Justified In Thinking Twice

YOU REGRET your misconduct because she bawled you out and marked you down for it; because it cost you plenty where she is concerned. And that crestfallen mood is by no means synonymous with genuine repentance, which makes a man resolve to be a better person and lifts him above the level of old mistakes. So, for the present at least, I think you definitely deserve your doghouse rating with Hope; and that she ought to stand firm on her no-marriage dictum.

M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column; not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Post Woman's Page.

The Gentler Sex

Malvina Lindsay is on vacation. Her column, "The Gentler Sex," will be resumed May 22.

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Frank J. Hogan

Frank J. Hogan had not attained the Biblical three score years and ten when he died. But to members of the local bar he was already a patriarch. They recall the days when he was the bright particular star of the local profession, the man who gave it a collective luster in the eyes of the American bar. Mr. Hogan sprang to fame in his thirties. That was most unusual in a profession with many rungs in it. It was the more astonishing because he was a poor boy who had to work for a living when he should have been at school. Young Hogan, however, burned the midnight oil over his own studies. He had a natural aptitude for learning, a love of books which later in life gave him front rank among the Nation's bibliophiles, and an extraordinarily retentive memory. It was this natural equipment that enabled him to graduate with the highest honors from Georgetown University Law School. It accounted for his storied success as a trial lawyer. He was wont to cite as many as 30 precedents, with chapter and verse, without having to refer to a single note. Juries regarded him with respect as soon as he opened his mouth. Not only was he learned in the law; he marshaled his brief with a skill and persuasiveness which was undeniable. Rarely has personality had such commerce with erudition. His success earned him huge fees. About them and the notable cases from which he earned them the obituary notices are eloquent. But it is not his legal glory that is remembered today by his manifold friends. It is the man himself. Triumph never went to his head, and many a lawyer in this country today has a memory of his kindness and consideration. District charities are grateful in retrospect for his help in time of stress and trouble. It was not only his money he gave to good causes, but his time and his sympathy. His was, indeed, the generosity of the spirit. He will be mourned far and wide as a man of character, full in the riches of the mind, and a citizen of no mean worth.

Peace Machinery

We hope that every member of Congress will take time to read Representative Sol Bloom's pamphlet on the treaty-making power. It is by no means a denunciation of the Senate for that body's occasional abuse of its power to shape policy in the international field. Rather it is a thoughtful analysis of the background of the two-thirds rule in treaty making and of the reasons why the House was originally excluded from this process.

Two facts should be borne in mind, says Mr. Bloom, in trying to understand why the founding fathers, in this instance, departed from the sound rule that questions of policy be decided by majority votes. First, the framers had been accustomed to a system of treaty making by Congress. Both before and after the adoption of the Articles of Confederation the negotiation of treaties had been handled directly by Congress. So the founding fathers supposed that the Senate would be intimately associated with the President in the negotiation of treaties in addition to passing final judgment upon them. No doubt that was an important reason why the larger House was given no part in these proceedings.

"The second fact to be remembered," says Mr. Bloom, "is that the Union could not have been formed without giving to the States equal suffrage in the Senate." The small States feared that their interests would be sacrificed if they didn't have an equal voice with the large States and the chance of defeating treaties which they might consider obnoxious. The New England States were concerned lest their fishing rights be bargained away by treaty. The Southern States were determined to keep the Mississippi open to navigation. In order to reassure the small States that their interests outside their own borders would be safeguarded, the convention accepted the compromise that now plagues a great and powerful Nation.

The important point which Mr. Bloom makes is that the conditions which led to the adoption of the treaty-ratifying provisions have long since disappeared. Today the treaty-making power is important only in safeguarding and promoting our national interests. Indeed, the relations between ourselves and many of our allies in this war are as close as was the relationship between the several States when the Constitution was adopted. For the sake of preserving those relations in good order it is now imperative that we take away the power of a minority to control the making of treaties.

At best the two-thirds rule was a makeshift departure from sound principle. That it has stood so long while other features of the Constitution have been brought into line with democratic practices can be explained only by the comparative lack of interest of the American people in foreign affairs until recent years and by the growth of executive agreements as a means of effectuating foreign policies. Each day that now brings us closer to the peace table once more is a plea for a return to the sound policy that the founding fathers sacrificed to expediency.

Army Vs. Navy

The view of Navy spokesmen toward the plan to consolidate the armed forces has now had an airing before the Woodrum Committee. It is on the whole negative. We are not surprised. No mind is more conservative and traditional than the naval mind, as was shown at Pearl Harbor, where the Navy and Army heads were not even on speaking terms. The trouble in Hawaii had nothing to do with personalities. It was the customary outcropping of the pride and particularism which is bred in the service bone in the separate service colleges. Twenty years before Pearl Harbor Billy Mitchell had encountered the same lack of intercommunication between the two commanders in Hawaii. "I have never seen anything like it," he told Congress, in urging a unified command in Hawaii as the first step to general unification, "each claimed to be the senior officer." But Congress could do nothing to end a rivalry which was so bitter that both parties acted as if the protection of the country's inner defense line were a secondary consideration.

The Japanese, one would have supposed, would have rubbed in the lesson that Billy Mitchell failed to teach. It was a lesson that this Nation bought at Pearl Harbor on the so-called "day of infamy" in the loss of men and ships and strategic position. The question now is: Do we intend to go back again to the old compartmentalized services which brought this Nation to the edge of disaster? That is a question for the Woodrum Committee to ponder. The members might look back at the record of its predecessor committee just before President Harding took office. The country had been powerfully impressed by the eloquence and what turned out to be the prophetic vision of Billy Mitchell. Harding had almost decided upon a single Department of Defense. Indeed, it is said that John W. Weeks and Edwin Denby had accepted appointments as undersecretaries in the combined department. But the change never came off. The reason was that the brasshats, appalled at such a fundamental change, threatened to resign.

The same ganging up against change is apparent in the Navy testimony before the Woodrum Committee. Twenty-five years after Mitchell's day precisely the same obstructionist attitude is shown by the professionals. Unification is still the same bugaboo. Actually the Woodrum Committee, which is framing a postwar military policy, is so impressed with the naval distaste for unification as a permanent innovation that some of the members appear to regard the project as too hot to handle. The committee, in our view, would be derelict in its duty if no plan, let alone recommendation, of unification appeared in its report. If there is any concern about our postwar security and responsibility, unification must be the foundation of our postwar military policy. If it is not prosecuted now, the whole matter will be left on the shelf. And then we should find at the end of this war as at the end of the last war all the traditional forces in the armed services engaged in disentangling the centripetalism which the facts of modern warfare have made necessary.

That is the inevitable conclusion of the history of the proposal to merge the armed forces. Unification in principle was accepted several weeks ago by the joint chiefs of staff. On this warrant a request went out to the heads of the Navy Department to study the suggestion. But, to judge from the cloudy statement which Admiral King authorized Representative Mott to make, the request was to be considered "without prejudice". In other words, there is no Navy "agreement with the War Department that the investigation should proceed upon the assumption that it (unification) is desirable *per se* and that the only question at issue is what kind of legislation is best calculated to bring about this unification". Navy testimony before the Woodrum Committee underlines this approach. Thus the committee, instead of being a pool of ideas on unification, has become a polarizer of prejudices. For instance, Artemus L. Gates, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air, declared Monday before the Woodrum Committee: "Since the presentation of the advantages of the proposal can be safely left to its proponents, I deem it my duty to emphasize some of the less obvious, but none the less critical, objections to it". Mr. Gates then proceeded with a brief for do-nothingness. To be sure, he threw a suggestion for naval absorption of the Army in place of amalgamation. For our part we have no prejudice as to how a single service is achieved. But Mr. Gates, instead of elaborating his thought, mentioned this approach to unification in incidental fashion, and, in presenting a case for do-nothingness, condoned overlapping, backed waste, and vindicated separation all the way down the line.

The great captains are those who think out new methods and then put them into execution. To be sure, we still have to win the war, but the changes that could be made right now pending complete reorganization would actually expedite the prosecution of the war. We have in mind a fusion of procurement, research, warehousing, medical service, staff training, transport. That would keep the armed services looking forward to the day when unification can be accomplished. It would be simply ostrich-like not to accept the dictum of Admiral H. E. Yarnell, an admiral who is also a statesman: "Since the basic principle of success in war is unity of command under leaders trained in, and selected for, their knowledge and skill in the use of all arms, it seems logical to assume that there should be the same unity in the military departments and general staffs of the government".

Civil Service Reform

The Civil Service Commission's self-discipline in response to criticism is a healthy portent. It evidences within the commission an honest devotion to the principles of fair play and an awareness that past procedures have proved seriously defective. So many miscarriages of justice had grown out of the commission's investigative practices, indeed, that reform was vitally needed. It has now been announced that there will be some personnel changes in the investigations division and that a new Loyalty Rating Board will be established to pass upon the cases of job applicants charged with disloyalty.

The equity and effectiveness of the new system will depend very largely upon the character and wisdom of the Loyalty Rating Board. If the members of the board feel that derogatory information concerning an applicant is of such a character as to reflect seriously on his loyalty, they will prepare a detailed summary of it and present it to him in writing. The applicant will be allowed to reply in writing and also, if he chooses, to appear before the board, with or without counsel, and to request persons to testify in his behalf. Beyond this there will be the right, which already exists, of appeal to the commission's Board of Appeals and Review.

This revised procedure fails to meet one important demand made by certain critics of the CSC: the right to confront and cross-examine witnesses from whom investigators secured injurious testimony. As we have said before, we do not consider it administratively feasible to do this. Obviously, however, the denial of this right, fundamental to all trial procedure, imposes on the commission—and in particular, under the new arrangement, upon the Loyalty Rating Board—an obligation to take special care in safeguarding the rights of accused persons. The board's prime function, in our judgment, should be to throw right into the trash basket all of the hearsay, gossipy allegations brought to it by investigators in lieu of real evidence. This will produce two beneficial results: it will force the investigators to carry on their work more carefully and conscientiously; and it will curtail the groundless accusation of wholly innocent persons in which the CSC has too often carelessly engaged. Only in very rare instances should it be necessary for a case to go beyond the Loyalty Rating Board.

It is an obvious defect of the revised CSC procedure that the new board will not consider charges of immorality as well as of disloyalty. These are no less liable to be made out of malice or bigotry and no less likely to be blown up into spurious significance by callow or narrow-minded investigators. Immorality is, in any case, a charge exceedingly difficult to define and one best ignored entirely by the Civil Service Commission save when supporting evidence is so gross and flagrant as to involve an open public scandal. Obviously, when any job applicant is found guilty of this charge by the Federal Government as an employer, his reputation is severely injured. In these cases, and in cases involving loyalty to the United States, the Government must guard the rights of individuals with the utmost care against prejudice, carelessness and stupidity.

Across The Salween

For two years two separate Chinese forces have been in training under the direction of Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell with the ultimate purpose of driving the Japanese out of Burma. They are now on the move. The object is to coordinate an attack from west and east. Some time ago the Chinese force based on Assam began what has proved to be a very successful drive into north Burma. Now more than 20,000 Chinese troops (part of the "Y army," which has been in training in Yunnan Province) have crossed the Salween River.

The maneuver is fraught with difficulty. The Japanese have a powerful and battle-hardened force in north Burma. Within a very short time the monsoon will make military operations difficult if not impossible. Nonetheless, the fact that for the first time in the seven years since the Sino-Japanese War began a Chinese force has taken the offensive is very significant. It will tend to dispel the growing pessimism in this country regarding the outlook in China. It will confront the Japanese with still a new problem involving the disposition of their far from limitless forces.

If the Chinese army now deployed along the Salween River do as well as their compatriots in the Hukwang Valley sector have done, the ultimate consequences of this two-pronged drive in north Burma will be most heartening for the Allies generally, and for China in particular.

SONG FOR A SOWER

Shape the seed to the earth
Here on the first day
After the winter's wrath.
Let the seeds fall from the lifted hand
Slanting across the waiting air,
The arm dark-circling upward
From the open sack, where like a tide
Of warm and shifting yellow sand
The embryonic corn-plants hide.
Shape the earth to the seed
Here on the first day
Of the new season's need.
Let the earth lie open to the plough,
The furrows sweet and fresh as hope . . .
And from the hand let the seed fall
In the April light, in a sudden spray,
Like the down-curving bough
Shaken in the small wind of a bird's flight.

SARA VAN ALSTYNE ALLEN

Manpower Issue

A Communication

THE MANPOWER ISSUE seems irrepressible. It will not down. It appears in one form and in another. It was actively before committees of the Congress a short time ago, with the suggestion of redrafting men classified as "4-F" to supply labor on farms and in war industries. This was a totally inadequate proposal.

Today there is another measure which in present form fails equally to meet the requirements. I refer to the Bailey-Brewster bill (S. 1864)—on which hearings started before the Senate committee on May 4.

This fact is noteworthy, both because the bill recognizes the necessity of legal obligation of civilians to serve the war effort and because men of wisdom and standing of Senators Bailey and Brewster are demanding it.

The bill, however, is impractical: (1) It most improperly uses the Selective Service System as a puunishment and threat; (2) it would put military men, at $50 per month, into war industry on unjust terms; and (3) it is inadequate because it does not reach enough persons, or those most needed.

This bill must be radically amended, or it should not pass.

Yet the manpower situation is so serious that something must be done. The Army is desperately short of replacements and of the young manhood that is essential for morale in fierce fighting. And there are not enough persons to fight, make weapons, and supply food, by from three to four million individuals.

Unused Labor Pool

Dependable survey after survey has demonstrated that, throughout this country, there is an "unused labor pool" of persons in nonessential occupations almost equal in total number to the entire employment in war industries. In this "unused pool," too, are found the most needed skills.

In view of all these facts in this tragic and titanic war, why will not Congress act? Why will not our people rise and decisively demand that Congress act—and act promptly? For the Secretary of War has told us it is not yet too late!

Outstanding, beyond question, is the fact that the American people, without exception, want complete victory. They want it at the earliest possible date. And they want no unnecessary loss of life. The people, too, are patriotic. In overwhelming majority they want to help win the war. But they must be told in a way that is both democratic and fair how they can do this.

What must a democratic law contain? First: Congress must declare that every person has an obligation, subject to appropriate exceptions, to aid the war effort. This is so obvious and so in accord with universal conviction that it is accepted without argument. But it is important for Congress, speaking for the people, to say this officially.

Second: This obligation must apply equally to everybody, to men and women alike; to men from perhaps 18 to 65 and women from 18 to 50 years. And it must apply to all kinds of noncombat service needed for the war.

Third: Such a law must be democratically administered, in local communities, abolishing the bureaucratic and autocratic manpower procedures of Washington. Instead, local "draft boards" should take charge. Unpaid officials in whom the public has confidence — neighbors of the persons asked to serve—would give advice and make decisions. Not even the President would have authority to select for employment even a single worker.

Fourth: There should be every incentive for volunteers, although there would be authority behind the law. In America there are compulsory "school" laws to protect democracy. The compulsory feature of this law is the same.

Fifth: Also there must be every reasonable safeguard to prevent individual hardship, such as work assignments near home, proper housing, compensation during training, cooperation with union rules and laws, etc. All such matters must be provided for in order that the law may not be unjust or arbitrary.

Austin-Wadsworth Bill

In these five points I have described every essential provision of the Austin-Wadsworth bill. If the public knew how simple and how fair this legislation is; how important for the war effort; and how little it would disturb any existing relations, this bill would have become law many months ago. For the overwhelming majority of the people would never know such a law was in operation. But the Army and Navy would know because they would be sure of getting the weapon they need when needed.

Organized labor, however, is opposed. The law would decrease the flow of cash into their swollen treasuries. The question for Congress and the American people to decide is: Whether William Green, Philip Murray and John L. Lewis shall continue "in the saddle," or shall the United States Government be free?

Let the mothers, fathers, sisters, wives and sweethearts of our fighting men, who want their loved ones to face no unnecessary loss of life, speak—and give the answer!

ARTHUR L. WILLISTON,
Secretary Citizens Committee for a National War Service Act.
Dedham, Mass., May 16.

Eastern Europe

By Sumner Welles

Instability Threatens The Peace

OUT OF THE fog of uncertainty which has blanketed the future status of the nations of eastern Europe after the Axis armies have been driven out, there has emerged one exceedingly encouraging development. On May 8 the governments of the Soviet Union and of Czechoslovakia signed an agreement providing for the administration of the territory of the republic as soon as it is liberated by the Soviet divisions now approaching the Czechoslovak frontiers.

This agreement provides that while the commander in chief of the Soviet armies will possess supreme authority in all areas so long as these remain "operational," as soon as that stage is past in any area, full jurisdiction will be immediately exercised by the Czechoslovak government over all civil administration and over all Czechoslovak military forces as well.

The terms of the agreement justify the statement made by the Czechoslovak Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs when the text was made public: "It is pervaded with a spirit of friendship, mutual faith and Allied collaboration." They offer proof, moreover, of the wisdom demonstrated by Dr. Benes when he concluded the mutual-aid treaty with the Soviet Union at Moscow last December. There were at that time rumblings of discontent both in Washington and in London because such a treaty was signed. It is only fair to say, however, that had President Benes refrained from carrying out his policy—one upon which he had determined long before—the agreement of May 8, which will be welcomed by all of the peoples of the United Nations, might not have been so promptly reached. The agreement provides another example of the constructive policy which has so far been pursued by Moscow. It constitutes an additional indication of the courageous statesmanship which Dr. Benes has displayed.

THE MUTUAL-AID treaty contained the pledge on the part of each government of "noninterference in the internal affairs of the other state." The Soviet Union had already committed itself to the restoration of the boundaries of Czechoslovakia as they were before Munich. This latest agreement should finally dispel the doubts raised by those who have been persistently alleging that Russia was determined to exert hegemony over Czechoslovakia or to despoil her of some part of her territory.

The prospects for similar expeditions and fair adjustments in other parts of eastern Europe remain very dark indeed.

It is unavoidable that the political future of the three Axis satellites — Hungary, Romania and Bulgaria—should remain obscure. Military developments will have to be awaited before any more definite signs will be forthcoming of the willingness—or ability—of the peoples in these countries to try to free themselves from the Axis yoke.

But the question of the future status of these valiant members of the United Nations—the peoples of Poland, Yugoslavia and Greece—is tragically confused.

The outlook for an equitable solution of the basic Polish problems has become increasingly unpromising as the bitterness between the contending interests involved has mounted. We may hope at least that the conversations now in progress in London will bring some more satisfactory result.

ALL PRESENT indications point to the immediate accentuation of an already chaotic situation in Yugoslavia. Marshal Tito and the Partisans continue to make headway, political as well as military. The recent hurried trip of the Ban of Croatia to London is the result of a further effort on the part of the monarchy to form a regime representative of all resistance elements. The refusal of the Partisans to have any dealings with the monarchist government seems, however, to be final. It is questionable whether the recent direct intervention of Mr. Churchill in these domestic political disputes of the Yugoslavs, and the pressure which he personally has brought to bear upon the King will do more than cause the great majority of the Serbs to rally even more stanchly around the monarchy. In view of the intense hostilities and rivalries which have been engendered, it seems unfortunately likely that when these gallant peoples are liberated from the invader they will confront a long period of internal conflict.

With respect to Greece, the state of affairs is one of confusion worse confounded. Within the last three weeks there have been three Prime Ministers. The government of Emmanuel Tsouderos resigned as a result of the vehement opposition of the representatives of the underground within Greece. Tsouderos was replaced by Sophocles Venizelos, the son of the great Premier of the First World War. Venizelos, in turn, resigned as Prime Minister partly because of the refusal of the British authorities to agree that an amnesty be granted members of the Greek armed forces in Egypt who had taken part in the recent mutiny.

HE WAS succeeded by an underground leader, George Papandreou, who had escaped from Greece to Cairo. The situation of the new government, supported apparently by a majority of the resistance groups, is complicated by the opposition of the EAM (National Liberation Front). The possibility that all of the democratic forces within Greece will pull together when the hour of freedom strikes seems as remote as in Yugoslavia.

A continuation of these present trends among the peoples of the United Nations in eastern Europe inevitably means protracted instability in the postwar years. It will make wholly impossible any such rapid and desirable transfer of jurisdiction from the military forces of the United Nations to the national civil authorities in these regions as that provided for in the agreement between the Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia.

One of the chief causes for the present dilemma lies in the fact that the United Nations have made no concerted effort to help in solving these political issues before the resultant controversies assumed proportions which make any equitable settlement far more difficult. They have undertaken no combined preventive policy.

At times Mr. Churchill, as in the cases of Yugoslavia and Greece, goes it alone. Occasionally the President is called upon urgently to administer an admonition, as he did recently to the Greek factions. But there is no organism which can speak in the name of all of the United Nations, and thus be able far more readily to check the growth of dangers which will gravely imperil postwar stability in Europe.

Whether we wish it or not, this government will be compelled, in its own interest, upon the surrender of Germany, to join with the other major powers in checking controversies which threaten the peace of Europe. We have been watching the growth of these disputes over a period of many months past, but up to now we have made no positive contribution toward preventing their development.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

Italian Policy

The present operating policy of the United Nations with respect to Italy—a policy of expediency violating all established understanding of how to deal with Fascists, be they generals, kings or duces—is scandalously and tragically wrong. Even temporary compromise, in return for assistance which is of doubtful value, will bring trouble and confusion.

It has been well understood, in this country at least, that we want to help in the establishment of a democratic government, led by men and women not previously identified with naziism and fascism. In the United States this conviction is held by all sincere and well-informed persons in all walks of life. Such people look with suspicion on the present policy of Churchill, Roosevelt, and the best of all the political jugglers, Stalin. Sumner Welles, in his recent article on the Administration's policy of expediency, quotes a communication from an American officer in Italy as concluding with the recommendation that we follow a policy of applying the Atlantic Charter and the pledges at Moscow and Teheran to all peoples of the world.

We need such clarification of aims, for our civilians as well as for our soldiers, so that our war aims are clarified for the persons engaged in fighting the war at home and abroad. Instead, our present policy of expediency in Italy has created a great loss of confidence in the government. Indoctrination of our armed forces is, therefore, one of the most important problems before us today.

In The Post an editorial on "Indoctrination" states "the problem of indoctrinating the armed forces with our war aims is bedeviled by the fear that the job might have a political slant. But it cannot be balked on that account. Pretty soon our boys will be engaged in a death [illegible] with Hitler hordes which [illegible] be speedily triumphant will require the zeal of crusader no less than fighting ability. Evidently there is no such zeal in our Army. A correspondent's statement on his return from the Italian Front reports that not one American in a hundred "knows or cares much about what the war is about!" To a lesser extent this is likewise the case among the British. But this is not true of the Russians and of the Germans or Nazis. They have been indoctrinated for a long time and know for what they are fighting.

Indoctrinating of our war aims into the minds of our people is the duty of each of us. We must push for a political strategy, including cooperation with all democratic forces, to win the war and establish a peace that has the best hope for enduring justice.

IGNATIUS GERACI.
Washington, May 10.

Wife And Son

I very much appreciate your kindness in sending me the excellent picture of my wife and son.

This is a mighty fine service on the part of The Post, and one which can be fully appreciated only by those of us who for so long have been half a world away from family and friends and have an only child whom we have never seen.

PAUL F. BENEDICT,
Captain, C. E.
Public Relations Officer.
New Guinea, April 14.

Tip For Historians

By Paul Winkler

Tragic Advertising

HERE IS a tip for future historians of the war: Why not include a chapter on life in war-torn countries as revealed in the advertising columns of the press? Sometimes a small advertisement throws as revealing a light on the conditions of a nation as columns of descriptive writing.

Take, for example, this advertisement from a Dutch paper: "Who will accept a pair of men's shoes, size 7½, in exchange for a pair of women's shoes, size 5½?" Or this one, in the same paper, "I must have a pair of shoes for my boy. Can offer in exchange a winter coat in fair condition, with some fur left on the sleeves."

From such announcements it is possible to visualize at once the weight of shortages on a hapless population, and the extent of the need which drives a people once noted for the meticulousness of their dress to barter for second-hand objects of clothing of a type which formerly they would have disdained to wear.

Except for the small group of collaborationists, for whom shortages still come very close to being nonexistent, fashion and mode have become words from a dead language for the Dutch. Indeed, there has arisen among them a new fashion of shabbiness. Noncollaborationists do not wish to be too well dressed, even if they could be, for fear that their neighbors will class them among those whose special privileges have been purchased by services rendered the enemy.

Noncollaborating Citizen

For the average noncollaborating citizen of Holland, there is literally nothing to buy in the stores, regardless of whether or not he has ration tickets. The expedient to which the population is driven by necessity is, therefore, the one reflected in the advertisements of objects to be exchanged. When the family needs, say, an article of clothing very badly, the only way it can procure it is to sacrifice something it needs less urgently in a deal with another family whose possessions and needs are the exact opposite of its own. Let us suppose that Mother A has two coats, but her son has none. She advertises that she will exchange one of her coats for a garment for her boy; and Mother B, who has a coat long outgrown by her son, but none for herself answers the advertisement and the swap is made. The money value of the two objects may be very far apart; but money has no meaning any longer. It is the need for a particular article which is all important today.

The barter advertisements offer, or demand, everything from baby diapers and perambulators to imitation leather purses. Attics, cupboards and cellars are combed to find negotiable articles, perhaps tucked away as valueless years ago. But they are not valueless now. A Dutch citizen will trudge through the streets, carrying home as a treasured prize a suit he would have thrown on the trash heap in 1939, passing on his way, perhaps, a store window containing a well-cut suit of the best materials. But so far as he is concerned, that suit might as well be on the moon. Unless he happens to be one of the Dutch Quisling Anton Mussert's most favored followers, he will find it much more difficult to obtain the right to buy that suit than an American to get his ration board to allow him four new natural-rubber tires for joy-riding.

Artificial Nourishment

The advertising columns are informative, not only for what they print, but, for what they omit. The first thing an observer from our land of plenty is likely to remark is that there is no food advertising in the papers of Holland. Instead, there are columns of advertising for German patent medicines, all presented as being able to restore the health which food shortages inevitably destroy.

At the same time that the advertisements in European papers disclose the misery of the greater part of the population, they also reveal how the collaborationists continue to enjoy life as usual, at the expense of their compatriots. Amusement advertisements are plentiful. They list German films, traveling or stationary circuses, and German-language theaters, whose plays, by completely unknown authors, are invariably described as great masterpieces. These performances are boycotted by the greater part of the population, which maintains its own underground amusements, where, for instance, forbidden American films are shown.

Also indicative of the different level on which the collaborationists live are the numerous advertisements of auctions, listing for sale what appear to be really valuable objects—rare carpets, paintings, works of sculpture, period furniture, etc. The collaborationists buy up these offerings avidly, anxious to exchange money which they fear will be useless later for articles of intrinsic value, either as a hedge against inflation or to provide escape money later, when they may have to flee the wrath of their countrymen.

And where do these objects come from, which the collaborationists so eagerly acquire? The advertisements do not say, but their source is obvious. They are the result of confiscations of the property of those noncollaborationists who have escaped from their own countries to join the forces of the United Nations abroad, who have been put into concentration camps or executed, or who have been deported for political or racial reasons.

Greek Factions

By Ernest Lindley

Relations With Great Powers

GREEK FACTIONAL leaders have drafted the agenda for their peace conference in Lebanon. Recent mutiny in the Greek armed forces indicated that such action was overdue.

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If the propaganda of the opposing factions were accepted at face value, however, the conferees could settle nothing. Leftists anad rightists have accused each other of being manipulated by the great powers.

According to the leftists, the British have been using rightist Greek politicians in Cairo to prop up the monarchy in order to restore British influence in Greece after the war. According to the rightists, the leftists are the tools of Moscow, intent on communizing Greece and spreading Russian influence into the Aegean and Mediterranean after the war.

In January, however, Moscow, London and Washington made a concerted appeals to the Greek factions to get together. Before that, the British had nudged King George of Greece into promising that he would not return to Greece until the people had decided, by popular vote, that they wanted him back. More recently, Prime Minister Churchill categorically pledged the British government to accept the people's choice. Late last month, President Roosevelt, in replying to a letter from Churchill detailing the history of Greek internal disputes, declared that the Greeks could best serve their own interests by coming back into the Allied camp. With his authorization, the British published the letter in Cairo, provoking from the Greek-American press protests that the Greeks had entered the Allied camp before the United States and had not left it.

THE PREVAILING view in Washington is that the factional trouble among the Greeks, which has led to armed clashes among rival undergrounds, is due mostly to the Greeks, not to the great powers. The Communists have only one vote on the six-man political committee of the leftist underground coalition, EAM. The present head of EAM is Col. Euripides Bakirdjis, a liberal.

However, the Communists took a leading part in organizing EAM and their influence is probably considerably larger than the formal structure of the organization would indicate.

Moscow is taking an active interest in Mediterranean affairs, as it has already demonstrated in Italy. The old Russian ambition for warm water outlets is reasserting itself. This might be satisfied in that part of the world by the internationalization of the Dardanelles. As a corollary, Russia naturally is interested in what happens in Greece, although probably not to the extent that it is interested in the future political complexion and orientation of the nations adjacent to its borders. But it has disavowed the ambition to communize even the border States. In Italy, it has bolstered up Badoglio. Its ostensible Greek policy is, at the present time, to encourage any and all efforts to trouble the Germans, and it has evidenced no desire to dispute or impair British influence in Greece.

THE BRITISH are naturally predisposed toward a monarchy which was a stanch ally in dark days. But Greeks who opposed the monarchy and the Metaxas dictatorship helped to repel the Italians and fought bravely, if briefly and to no avail, against the Germans. The Greek ties with Britain are traditional and rooted in popular thinking. During the first world war the Venizelos republic, with British support, ousted a pro-German royal house.

The Greek government in exile recently was "broadened" by the resignation of Premier Tsouderos. He was a former Venizelist Republican who tried to compose the factional quarrels but finally got into hot water with Greek army officers supporting the EAM demands. His successor, Premier Papandreou, only recently left Greece and is described as an able liberal.

The tendency of politicians and military men in some of the occupied countries to put the struggle for control after the war ahead of winning the war is annoying, to say the least. The American public is not interested in the fine points of these internal disputes. It is interested in seeing within these countries a united front and the utmost active cooperation in bringing about the defeat of Germany.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Can't be much of a book—They've never made a movie of it!"

Goals of Invasion Are Hinted By Pacts to Rule Freed Lands

By the Associated Press

In pre-invasion announcements possibly hinting at the direction of Allied thrusts into Europe, London and Washington yesterday disclosed agreements with the exiled governments of The Netherlands, Belgium and Norway for administration of their liberated homelands.

The agreements with Belgium and The Netherlands were signed by the United States and Britain. Russia expressed approval, but did not participate in the arrangements

She did, however, sign the agrement with Norway. This raised the possibility that Russian forces striking across Finland might have a hand in wresting part of Norway from Hitler's control.

May Hit Belgium, Holland

The Dutch and Belgian agreements were the first to be announced for western Europe, and raised speculation that Anglo-American invasion forces thrusting from the British Isles might strike directly into those territories.

No formal agreement has been announced between the Allied Powers and the French National Committee. Secretary of State Hull said in a speech several weeks ago that Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the invasion leader, would deal with the committee in setting up civil administration over French territories, but would have a free hand to deal with any other group sheould he encounter civilian forces unwilling to accept the committee's authority.

In Algiers, the De Gaulle committee yesterday proclaimed itself to the the provisional government of France. The United States, Hull told his press conference, has not changed its policy with respect to the committee, which means that the intention here still is not to recognize it as a provisional government until it has actually gone into France and proved its abilitiy to govern.

What Agreements Provide

The agreements with Norway, the Netherlands and Belgium were all alike in that they provided:

First, that the Allied commander heading expeditionary forces in a liberated area shall have "supreme responsibility and authority over civil administration" to the extent necessary to meet military requirements.

And, second, civil administration shall be turned over to each of the responsible governments as quickly "as the military situation permits."

The only restraint on this agreement to return the Administration to the governments is "the understanding tha such special facilities as the Allied forces may continue to require . . . will be made available for the prosecution of the war to its final conclusion."

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Sweden's Choice

SWEDEN now has no choice but to end the shipment of vital ballbearings to Germany. Quite apart from technicalities or theoretical rights, this has become a symbol with the American public of whether the people of Sweden stand with us or against us in this moment of trial.

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Everything contained in the weekend statement of the Swedish foreign office may be literally true. The percentage of ballbearings sent to Germany from Sweden is small. These shipments are made under an agreement signed with Britain and the United States.

But the very fact that some German planes, which shoot down American planes and kill American fliers, contain parts made in Sweden cannot be rationalized here. It's one of those things that go down deeper than all surface arguments when nations are in mortal combat.

It isn't as though we were asking Sweden to take this step in, say, the summer of 1943, when there was still a long wait ahead. Then the risk that Germany might stop shipments of coal and otherwise choke off Swedish industry might have been too great.

SURELY NOW when every other democratic country has paid a heavy price—with Norway and Denmark a terrible price—Sweden can take this chance. If any lingering doubts of an Allied victory exist, they should be promptly dispelled. America, Britain and Russia are going through with this to the end.

That's why in the long run Sweden's own self-interest would be served by prompt action at this time. In the postwar world the pattern of world trade will be fixed by the victorious powers.

Just what that pattern will be no one can say with finality today. Much of the thinking in America, within industry as well as with Government, is opposed to cartelization—assigning world markets in accord with the desires of dominant companies.

The British at this stage appear to prefer to lean on trade agreements that would prevent unlimited competition. They would set up new controls with the United States which would presumably cut out the German firms that once were part of the world network.

Sweden's SKF ballbearing company, with plants in Germany, France, and the United States as well as Sweden, was part of the pattern that existed before 1939. Without a change of front at this time, SKF can hardly hope to maintain the former position. SKF in this country has, of course, worked 100 per cent for the Allied war effort.

Before the war the Swedes through their cooperative movement broke one international cartel in Europe. Swedish cooperators built an electric lamp factory and forced down the price of electric light bulbs in European countries.

Sweden has done far more thinking — and acting — about these problems than we have. In 1934 the Swedish public was shocked to realize that one-third of Sweden's great Bofors munitions industry was held by the Krupp interests in Germany. The government acted to find a Swedish buyer for that interest.

Unfortunately the purchaser was Axel Wenner-Gren who subsequently was put on the British-American blacklist because of some of the deals of his Mexican and Peruvian companies. Wenner-Gren was typical of the international financier-promoters who thrived under the pre-1939 system of world trade.

What hits you hard in all this is the way in which governments —even in a highly literate, enlightened democracy such as Sweden — discover that major economic decisions affecting national security are outside any control. Certainly we in America can afford no smugness on this score. We discovered when the war broke out that certain materials vital to rearmament were controlled by foreign cartels.

"This country will engage in foreign trade and commerce on a scale never before imagined and we are not going to join hands with any foreign cartels," Assistant Attorney General Wendell Berge said in a speech Tuesday night.

Sweden has always tried to control the armament trade. In modern warfare ballbearings are weapons just as much as guns. On that basis Sweden could cut out even the trickle that now reaches the Nazis.

Public Favors Treaty Action By Majority Congress Vote

By GEORGE GALLUP,

Director, American Institute of Public Opinion.

Princeton, N. J., May 16.—When the North Carolina Democratic State Convention recently adopted a plank in its patform calling for a Constitutional amendment to allow for ratification of treaties by a majority vote of both branches of Congress, it was reflecting a belief of an increasing majority of Americans.

The number of voters who think the best method of ratifying U. S. treaties is by approval of a majority in both the House and Senate —instead of by the present two-thirds majority of the Senate alone —is today 60 per cent, as compared to 54 per cent in a smiliar poll published last October.

The issue was put to a cross-section of voters throughout the Nation as follows:

"When the war is over, it will be necessary for the Allies to decide on peace terms for the Axis. Which one of these three ways would you, personally, favor as the best way to have peace treaties approved after the war?"

The three alternatives from which those interviewed chose follow, with a tabulation of their replies:

	October	Today
Approval only by the President	7%	7%
Approval by President and a majority of whole Congress	54	60
Approval by President and two-thirds of Senate	25	19
Don't know	14	14

In view of the fact that this issue is one which involves a question not widely discussed or debated by the man-on-the-street, it is of interest to compare the vote of informed persons—those who can prove their knowledge of present ratification requirements—with the views of all voters, both informed and uninformed.

When this comparison is made, the views of the informed group coincide with the views of all people, with majorities in both groups viewing approval of treaties by a simple majority in both branches of Congress as the best method.

The chief difference between informed opinion and the opinion of all voters is that fewer among the informed group are without opinions and more favor retention of the Senate two-thirds ratification rule than is the case with all voters.

Here is a table showing the vote of the informed group:

Informed Voters	
Approval only by President	4%
Approval by President and a majority of whole Congress	61
Approval by President and two-thirds of Senate	33
No opinion	2

OPA Asks Injunction

A petition asking that David A. Cohen, 109 9th st. nw., owner of the Daycon Products Co., be enjoined from doing business in hardware commodities until he keeps certain price records,

Salt Cure Saves 100 From Death By Alcoholism at Gallinger

More than 100 persons have been saved from death due to acute alcoholism in the last five years at Gallinger Hospital by a new salt injection treatment, Dr. Isaac J. Silverman, psychiatrist and inventor of the treatment, disclosed in an interview yesterday.

Because well over 50 per cent of severe alcoholic cases are sent to Gallinger the treatment has contributed to a 63 per cent decline of the mortality rate from alcoholism in the District, which dropped from 5.4 per 100,000 in 1937 to 2 per 100,000 in 1943, according to the psychiatrist.

"Prolonged alcoholism, in some obscure way, causes too much water on the brain, known to medicine as an excess of cerebrospinal fluid," said Dr. Silverman.

An intravenous injection of a hypertonic solution of 5 per cent sodium chloride twice a day for two or three days, drains off the excess fluid by osmosis. In osmosis, a fluid flows through a semi permeable membrane in the direction of the stronger solution—in this case, said the doctor, from the cerebro-spinal system to the vascular system.

"When this is done, the results are very striking. Patients who have been on an alcoholic spree for two or three weeks, are noisy, Belligerent, talkative and demanding," Dr. Silverman said "Sometimes they are confused and disoriented, believing themselves to be in Turkey or South America, or other far away countries. They are frequently victims of hallucinations in whcih they see 'pink elephants,' alligators, and strange birds, and hear voices which accuse or threaten them.

"Almost immediate effect of the first infusion, is that they quiet down. They lose their hallucinations in about 36 to 48 hours."

Dr. Silverman pointed out that alcoholic wards, formerly hard to manage are now manageable even with wartime personnel, and that at times even female attendants are now permitted on duty in the male wards.

Survey Advocates Overhauling Of U. S. Transportation Policy

By the Associated Press

The transportation board of investigation and research, calling the present freight-rate structure a "crazy quilt of inequalities and discriminations," recommended yesterday an overhauling of national transportation policy with the aim of making rates "truly reflect the cost of service."

In a report to President Roosevelt and Congress, the board also proposed creation of three permanent Federal agencies:

1. Federal Transportation Authority, to be an independent agency or a part of the Commerce Department. "The new body would continuously study the country's transportation needs, and submit reports, plans and recommendations to the President and to Congress."

2. Office of Public Transportation Counsel, to be an agency of the Justice Department. The board said this office would represent the public at hearings before transportation regulatory bodies. At present, it said, "frequently the adversaries in proceedings before the administrative body either cannot or do not present sufficient facts to enable the agency to decide questions in the larger public interest."

3. National Transportation Advisory body, to be composed of representatives of all forms of transportation, finance, agriculture, industry, labor and public service. It would report to Congress and the President on transportation activities.

Organized in 1941

The Board of Investigation and Research, a temporary body, was provided for in the Transportation Act of 1940. Organized in August, 1941, its members are Robert E. Webb of Kentucky, chairman, and C. E. Childe of Nebraska.

Yesterday's report, a preliminary one, proposed that Congress amend its declarations of transportation policy to provide that "the transportation services of all common carriers be furnished in such a manner that the shipper will have a freedom of choice in the selection of reasonable joint routes and rates by the use of such transportation agencies and facilities of the same or different types as may be needed to foster and serve commerce economically and efficiently."

"Rail, motor, water, pipeline, and air carriers are all needed in our national economy and each should have a place in our transportation system," the report said. . . . "the board's studies show definite possibilities for lowering the cost and at the same time improving the quality of each type of carrier service."

Fifiures Cited

The board, while recommending elimination of discriminatory rates, expressed the opinion that the economic position of the South and West has not been affected as greatly as some contend by the generally lower freight rates available to Eastern shippers. It gave figures which it said, "are a sufficient indictation that industry in the East is not overdeveloped, but that manufacturing in the South and West is underdeveloped. The South and West do not ship too many of their raw materials to the East, nor do they buy too many finished products from that area. On the contrary, the South and West produce too little, both on raf materials and finished products. Because their production is low, their income is low; because their income is low, their consumption of finished gods is low.

"The remedy is to increase manufacturing production in the South and West. Only in that way will the raw-material resources of the two areas be fully and profitably utilized and the people of those sections provided with more employment, better economic opportunities, greater purchasing power, and higher living standards."

Police Find 2 Parted 28 Yrs. From Brother

It took District police only 28 minutes yesterday to locate the brother and sister of Joseph Saga of Nottingham, England, after he wrote that he had not seen or heard from them in almost 28 years.

Saga was able to give few clews, writing only that his brother's name was John, that he believed he might be in the U. S. Army and that his sister, Kate, was married to a man named "Paul Jeffrey" and supposedly, was living in the District.

Pvt. E. B. Crandall and Lieut. Harry Blackman, both of the Missing Persons Bureau, set to work immediately. They found only a Paul Jeffries listed in the city directory but decided to call at his home at 421 6th st. nw.

There they found Kate and with her brother, John, who has returned to his profession of painting.

D. C. Printers Win Pay Increase $4.50 a Week

Payment of $60,000 in retroactive pay increases to approximately 560 Washington printers was approved yesterday by the newspaper commission of the War Labor Board meeting in Chicago, according to J. B. Manbeck, president of the Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101.

Manbeck said the union's contract was agreed on last March with Washington publishers and that yesterday's action brought the negotiations to a close.

The wage agreement, which is retroactive to November 14, 1943, contains an average weekly increase of $4.50, with a three-year contract to be opened only for wage adjustment discussions.

Policeman's Assailant Gets $175 or 150 Days

William Joseph Fry, 20, a truck driver, of 1337 4th st. sw., was sentenced to pay fines of $175 or to spend 150 days in jail by Judge Brice Clagett in Municipal Court on charges of assaulting an officer and disorderly conduct. Fry was charged with fighting with Seventh Precinct Patrolman Alva M. Matlack.

Judge Clagett remarked that the maximum penalty for assaulting an officer in the District is two years in prison. Fry told the court that he had been discharged from the Army nine months ago for "being drunk and having some trouble with an officer."

Patrolman Matlack was struck over the head several times with his own baton during a "riot" in a restaurant at Bank and M sts. nw, Saturday night, when an unknown man pulled the baton away from the officer as the latter was struggling with Fry. Judge Clagett fined Fry $25 on the disorderly charge and $150 on the charge of assaulting the officer.

Motorist Is Injured

Guy Withers, 71, of 1735 New Hampshire ave. nw., was admitted to Mount Alto Hospital yesterday suffering fractured ribs and lacerations after police said his car crashed into a tree in the 3500 block of Edmonds st. nw., when he apparently fainted at the wheel. His condition was described as fair.

D. C. Business Grows

Statistics released by the Board of Trade yesterday indicated that Washington business is still increasing.

Largest increases in February, 1944, compared to same month last year, were 14 per cent in store sales, over 19 per cent in check transactions which totaled $163,409,183, and 10.31 per cent in kilowatt-hours of electric energy consumed, which totaled 113,664,183.

Gen. Rupertus' Keen Eye Saves Flier in Sea

The keen sight of Marine Maj. Gen. William H. Rupertus, 3752 Van Ness st. nw., was responsible for saving the life of a young Marine pilot who crashed into the sea off Cape Gloucester in the Pacific, it was reported yesterday.

RUPERTUS

According to a Marine combat correspondent, General Rupertus was flying between Ikobi and Cape Gloucester when he spotted a figure feezly churning the water attempting to swim to shore.

General Rupertus ordered his pilot to circle the lone swimmer until he was able to drop a life belt, and then ordered a launch sent to the rescue. The swimmer was Corpl. Albert G. Hoffman, jr., of Mullica Hill, N. J.

Corporal Hoffman had been in the water five hours after his reconnaissance plane crashed.

Two Are Sentenced

Conway S. Osborne, 17, Negro, who pleaded guilty to breaking into the Ball Park Liquor Store, 1918 7th st. nw., and setting fire to the floor of the premises in the process of stealing $2489 from the safe, was sentenced yesterday in District Court to serve a total of 4 to 13 years on charges of housebreaking and arson.

George J. Mohr, 38, of 1339 Irving st. nw., was sentenced by Justice Matthew F. McGuire to serve from eight months to two years on two counts of assault with a dangerous weapon for shooting and wounding two men in a cafe at 2811 14th st., in March. He previously pleaded guilty. The wounded men were Frank Worley, 29, and Russell W. Harrison, 25,

Court Backs White School Ban on Negro

No discrimination was shown by the Board of Education in refusing to admit a 5-year-old Negro boy to a white school, according to Justice James W. Morris of District Court, who dismissed yesterday a suit brought by the boy's father, John P. Davis, 3105 14th st. ne.

Davis sought a reversal of the board's ruling that denied Michael Davis admittance to the Noyes School, 10th and Franklin st. ne., public school nearest his home. The father claimed the closest colored school was seventeen blocks' walking distance, and 6½ miles by public transportation.

Justice Morris, in granting the Government's motion to dismiss the suit, held that the facts presented did not show discrimination, but merely alleged an inconvenience to the boy. Justice Morris gave the father leave to amend the petition.

Senate Committee Expected to Okay Child Aid Plan

Senator Arthur Walsh (D., N. J.) is expected today to sign a favorable report on the bill to provide aid to dependent children in the District of Columbia.

The Walsh subcommittee, it is believed, will indorse the plan which puts the aid to dependent children under the authority of the Board of Public Welfare.

There will probably be no meeting today of the Senate District Committee headed by Senator Theodore G. Bilbo (D., Miss.), the Senator's office said last night. About five subcommittees, including a housing subcommittee headed by Senator Harold H. Burton (R., Ohio), have not yet made reports, Senator Bilbo's office explained and therefore the meeting will be postponed until such time as their investigations are completed.

Soldier Loses $600

A billfold, containing $600 in cash, was lost by Pvt. Martin Bloomfield while he was riding on a streetcar between Mount Pleasant and 14th and F sts. nw. sometime yesterday, police reported.

Pvt. Bloomfield, who was employed at Hughes fountain pen store at 503 14th st. nw. prior to his induction, said that half of the money had been given to him by his former employer last week to buy fountain pens in New York. He was unable to get any pens, he explained, and returned to the District Saturday night with the money plus $300 of his own. He had planned to return his employer's money yesterday, he said.

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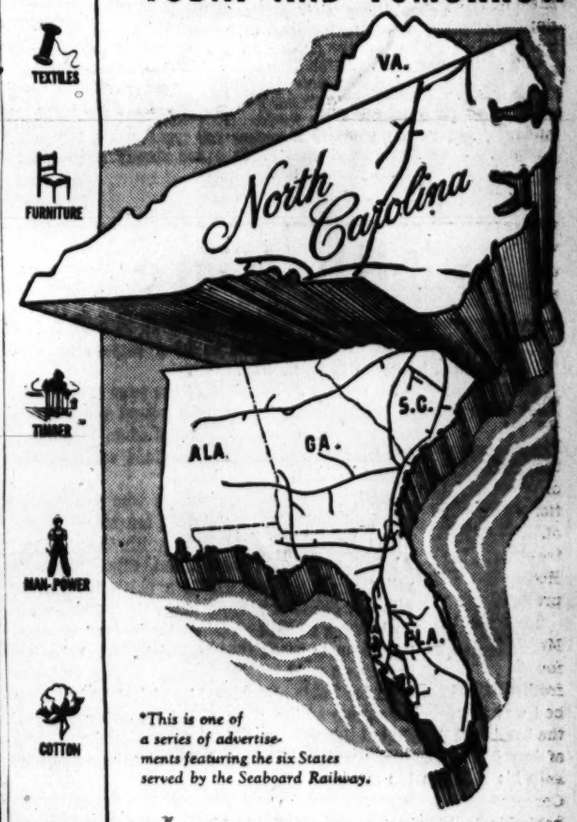

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This Morning

With Shirley Povich

As a personal favor to the Nats, we would like to say they are not much account and we doubt if they will ever win another ball game. That is just about the nicest thing this department could do for the Washington Club. In fact, we ought to charge for it.

POVICH

No harm is intended here, only good. It's history, and faithfully repetitious, that one word of praise from this column is tantamount to putting an unholy curse on the recipient. The Povich curse is in fact, gaining recognition as an exact science. Any guy we applaud in this space goes down as if pole-hexed.

Within the past fortnight our maledictions, couched in only the most dripping praises, have struck down three members of the Nats who always spoke well of us. First to feel our leprous touch was George Myatt.

Myatt was doing very well for himself and the Nats until we took due note of the fact and galloped into print with a glowing essay on the fellow's newfound skill. That day he went hitless, to end an eleven-game batting streak, and the next afternoon, still under the hex, he hurt his leg.

Rick Ferrell was our next victim. Because he was doing such a clever job handling the Nats' knucklers and lending a hefty hand with his bat, we felt impelled to observe in approximately 800 words that Ferrell was quite a guy. Particularly did we marvel at his ability to catch those knuckle balls without maiming himself at the toughest job in baseball. That fixed him. Two afternoons later, Ferrell suffered a split thumb trying to catch one of Johnny Niggeling's errant knuckle pitches.

Well, the next for whom there was no escape was big Roberto Ortiz, the large Cuban outfielder who was barging into the headlines with three home runs during the same week. Only 48 hours ago in this space, we merely pointed out that Ortiz was hitting the daylights out of the ball and giving the Nats a new and welcome punch. We said the funny thing about Ortiz was that he could hit curve ball pitching. The presses had scarcely started to roll when Ortiz went hitless five times in the series opener with Cleveland and struck out four times, against the curve ball pitching of Mel Harder.

Is there anybody you would like smitten, at a nominal fee?

But at this moment we are feeling contrite, and in all solemnity will try to undo all of the undeserved havoc these dispatches have caused to the objects of our praise. It would seem that Myatt, Ferrell and Ortiz, the first to feel the weight of our plague, have first claim on our penitence.

So, we now set forth that Myatt undoubtedly will go into a horrible slump immediately, that he will muff every ball hit in his direction, that he won't get another hit for the rest of the season, and will be trapped off base every time he tries to steal a lead. In fact, as a personal favor to Myatt, we guarantee it.

As for Ferrell, we predict that his sore thumb will never heal; that the first time he returns to the catching job he'll get banged on the same sore thumb by a vicious foul tip, and his career will be ended. If that doesn't stop him, then it will be useless for him to continue playing ball anyway, because he'll never get another base hit for the duration.

Ortiz is a gone cookie. He simply doesn't have the ability to hit big league pitching. It's absurd to assume that he can stay in the big leagues. He's a sucker for a curve ball, and he can't hit a fast ball, and the slow balls and knucklers simply bedazzle him. The only chance he has of getting on base is drawing a walk, and he doesn't know how to wait a pitcher out. If this doesn't take care of Ortiz, there's no hope for him, and no kidding.

While we're about it, we might just as well run through the rest of the club lightly. Johnny Niggeling, unbeaten this season, is simply a lucky pitcher who has been getting away with murder and probably will never win another. Dutch Leonard, Mickey Haefner and Roger Wolff are hopeless, far over their heads in big league company.

Joe Kuhel can't field and never could. Johnny Sullivan is erratic, can't throw, can't hit and lacks speed. Gil Torres won't hit .062 by mid-July, and Stan Spence is a sucker for right and left-handed pitching. Jake Powell and George Case are simply impossible. That goes for the management, too.

Is that enough?

On the Line

With CONSIDINE

New York, May 16.—This was fated to be a curious baseball season, and it's living up to its destiny.

If one thing seemed certain at the start of the year it was this: That those old and experienced pitchers who missed the military draft would have soft pickings when they faced the brash newcomers and spavined veterans who waved baseball bats at them.

CONSIDINE

Well, among those throwers who are having great difficulty getting started are Mort Cooper, Ernie Bonham, Elmer Riddle, Rip Sewell, and Al Smith. On the other hand, Clyde Shoun, a relief pitcher, came within a hair's breadth of pitching the first perfect game since 1922, when he threw a no-hitter against the Braves Monday. Only man to reach first was Jim Tobin, who got there on a walk.

As for Tobin, Jim won 14 and lost 14 last year and was not considered one of the more gifted performers facing the barrier at the start of this season. But, in succession, he pitched a three-hitter, one-hitter and no-hitter, and busted a home run to help his side win the no-hitter.

Washington's Cubans were supposed to fold up the first time their heads were fired at, but they've been standing up there and slapping the ball merrily. Gilberto Torres, a veteran who has been banging around the minors for years, was hitting in the .340's early this week. Also in that bracket was George Myatt, the Washington team's second baseman. The Nats tried to unload him through most of last season, after drafting him from Columbus. They couldn't get rid of him. Now he's a hero there.

The American League's leading hitters reads like something out of random pages in the phone book. The leader going into this week of play was Bob Swift, Detroit catcher, who hit .192 for Connie Mack's A's last season and .220 for the A's and Browns the year before. He was batting .358 Monday. Nick Etten, who hit .271 for the Yanks last season, was in second place with .354. Thurman Tucker, who swatted a nifty .235 for Jimmy Dykes last season, was hitting .352 at the start of this week. Erwin Hall, the A's infielder, was hitting .345. He hit .256 last year.

Claude Passeau, one of the wildest pitchers in the game, has shown his face twice in the box recently and each time has been swatted out of there. The Cubs, considered one of the strongest teams in the National League at the start of the season, have won three games out of 20, have fired a manager, hired a fill-in, fired the fill-in for a new manager, and now are considering grabbing the new manager by the vest and demanding "How come?"

Speaking of Shoun's nearly perfect game, we have a letter from a veteran Newark fan named C. E. Theall who was present in the Detroit ballyard the afternoon in 1922 when the last perfect game was pitched. It was hurled by C. C. Robertson of the White Sox against the home team.

"I lived in Detroit at that time," he writes, and was lucky enough to get in on that 'once in a lifetime' performance. The Detroit crowd sensed about the seventh inning that Robertson would come through, and they began to root for the Sox.

"In the ninth inning the Tigers had two out and you can imagine the tension—and the boos—when Manager Ty Cobb sent up a pinch hitter, Bassler, in the hope of spoiling the game. Bassler sent up a fly to the outfield, and that was that.

"A lot of us thought it would have been a shame to ruin that game with a pinch-hit that didn't matter in the final score. But Cobb was like that. He made a man work for what he got, and his decision to try to spoil the game that day was one of the things that make it memorable. Robertson came through despite Cobb, but Ty rates an assist for making it truly legitimate."

Adopted Colors in '90

Blue and white were officially established as Penn State's colors in March of 1890.

Head Man 26 Years

Neil M. Fleming has been graduate manager of athletics at Penn State for the last 26 years.

A's Defeat Tigers, 4-3, For 6 in Row

Philadelphia, May 16 (INS).—Jo Jo White's 10th inning single with two out and two on sent the winning run scurrying across the plate today as the Athletics stretched their winning streak to six straight by beating the Detroit Tigers, 4 to 3.

Jesse Flores pitched for the A's until the 10th, when Jonas Berry relieved him. The Tigers made only seven hits and blew their chances for victory when the A's knotted the game in the ninth with two runs.

Harold Newhouser and Johnny Gorsica shared the pitching burden for the Tigers, allowing eight hits.

Detroit.	AB	H	O	A	Phila'phia.	AB	H	O	A
Cramer,cf.	5	0	0	0	Burgo,rf..	4	2	3	0
Hoover,ss.	4	0	3	7	Garrison,lf	5	1	2	0
Mayo,2b..	4	2	5	3	E'lia,cf,1b	2	0	4	0
York,1b..	4	1	13	1	Hayes,c....	5	1	1	0
Higgins,3b	4	2	1	5	Siebert,lb.	3	1	11	1
Metro,lf..	4	0	1	0	White,cf..	1	1	0	0
H'tetler,rf.	3	1	1	0	Hall,ss....	3	1	1	5
Richards,c	4	0	5	3	Kell,3b....	3	1	1	0
N'houser,p	4	1	0	2	Rullo,2b...	3	0	7	4
Gorsica,p.	0	0	0	0	Busch,2b..	1	0	0	0
					Flores,p...	2	0	0	0
Totals..	36	7*	29	21	†Flick.....	1	0	0	0
					Berry,p...	0	0	0	0
					Totals..	33	8	30	19

*Two out when winning run scored.
†Batted for Rullo in ninth.

Detroit	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	—3
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1—4

Runs—Hoover, Mayo, York, Garrison, Hayes, White, Flores. Errors—Mayo (2), Siebert, Hoover, Kell. Runs batted in—(Flores scored on error), Higgins (2), York, Siebert, Kell, White. Two-base hits—Mayo, Newhouser, Higgins, Kell. Stolen base—Cramer. Sacrifices—Mayo, Hall. Double plays—Mayo to Hoover to York, Kell to Rullo to Siebert, Hall to Rullo to Siebert. Left on base—Detroit, 7; Philadelphia, 8. First base on balls—Newhouser, 6; Flores, 3; Gorsica, 1. Strikeouts—Newhouser, 4. Hits—Newhouser, 5 in 8⅓; Gorsica, 3 in 1⅓; Flores, 7 in 9; Berry, 0 in 1. Passed ball—Hayes. Winning pitcher—Berry. Losing pitcher—Gorsica. Umpires—Stewart, McGowan and Pipgras. Time—2:05.

Browns Rally, Beat Red Sox In 12th, 7 to 3

Boston, May 16 (INS).—The St. Louis Browns came behind in the ninth inning of today's game with the Red Sox and tied the score 3-all. Then the visitors landed on Young Vic Johnson for five hits and four runs in the 12th inning and won the game, 7 to 3.

Singles by Mark Christman and Red Hayworth broke the deadlock. The Browns then scored three more runs.

The Browns totaled 18 hits and George Caster, who replaced Jack Kramer in the ninth after the pitcher had given way for a pinch hitter, received credit for the triumph.

St. Louis.	AB	H	O	A	Boston.	AB	H	O	A
G'ridge,2b	4	3	2	1	C'berson,cf	6	1	2	0
Epps,cf...	4	0	3	0	Wagner,c.	5	4	4	1
†Kreevich	1	0	0	0	Cronin,1b.	5	3	10	1
Zarilla,rf.	1	1	1	0	M'ovich,1b	1	0	4	0
M'Q'nn,1b	3	1	16	1	R.J'nson,lf	5	1	2	1
S'phens,ss	6	4	2	8	Fox,rf...	6	1	3	0
Demaree,lf	6	2	4	0	Doerr,2b..	5	0	4	5
C'man,3b.	5	3	3	5	Tabor,3b..	5	1	2	5
B'nes,rf,cf	4	2	1	0	N'some,ss.	3	2	3	4
H'yworth,c	6	1	4	0	V.J'hnson,p	5	0	1	5
Kramer,p.	3	0	0	3	Ryba,p....	0	0	0	1
*Clary...	1	1	0	0					
Coster,p..	2	0	0	0	Totals..	46	10	36	23
Totals..	50	18	36	18					

*Batted for Kramer in ninth.
†Batted for Epps in ninth.

St. Louis	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0—4—7
Boston	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—3—8

Runs—Gutteridge, Zarilla, Stephens (2), Christman, Hayworth, Clary, Culberson, Wagner, Cronin. Errors—Epps, Newsome. Runs batted in—Byrnes, Demaree, Kreevich, Hayworth, Zarilla (2), McQuinn, Cronin, R. Johnson, Fox. Two-base hits—Stephens (2), Clary, Cronin, Tabor, Fox. Three-base hit—Zarilla. Stolen bases—Gutteridge (2). Sacrifices—Demaree, Zarilla, Byrnes. Double play—R. Johnson to Wagner. Left on bases—St. Louis, 16; Boston, 12. Base on balls—Kramer, 4; Coster, 1; V. Johnson, 6. Strikeouts—Kramer, 2; Coster, 2; V. Johnson, 4. Hits—Kramer, 8 in 8; Coster, 2 in 4; V. Johnson, 17 in 11⅔; Ryba, 1 in ⅓. Wild pitch—V. Johnson. Winning pitcher—Coster. Losing pitcher—V. Johnson. Umpires—Jones, Berry and Hubbard.

Bill Hulse Reports To Navy June 28

Bill Hulse, America's fastest outdoor miler, who will compete in a special three-quarter mile race in the "C" track meet Saturday, will be out of the running as a civilian after the Pope Pius High School track and field carnival June 20 in aPssaic, N. J.

On June 28 he is to report to the Navy for active duty. Hulse was sworn into the Navy Friday. Last summer he ran the fastest outdoor mile ever covered by an American, finishing in 4:06.6.

Armstrong, Joyce Sign for Chicago Bout

Chicago, May 16 (AP).—Henry Armstrong, former featherweight, lightweight and welterweight champion, will meet Willie Joyce, Gary, Ind., junior welterweight, in a 10-round bout at Chicago Stadium June 2, Promoters Irving Schoenwald and Jack Begun said tonight.

The two scrappers have met twice before. Joyce earned a decision over the one-time triple titleholder a year ago last March at Los Angeles and Armstrong won a few months later at Hollywood.

Spars Get Lowdown in Swimming From a Champion

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

Shapely Esther Williams, former swimming champion and now busily engaged with a movie career in Hollywood, takes time out from her daily tasks to give a flock of Uncle Sam's Spars a few pointers on the proper technique in the water. Miss Williams is demonstrating the crawl.

Chicubs Win On Nicholson's Double, 7 to 6

Chicago, May 16 (AP).—Bill Nicholson's double to the right centerfield wall shoved Ival Goodman across the platter in the last of the ninth today to give Chicago a 7-6 edge over Brooklyn after an uphill struggle.

The Dodgers knocked out Rookie Dale Alderson, making his first big-league start, when they scored three times in the first and continued to pick up runs on Paul Derringer until Hank Wyse came in to stop them cold in the last three innings. Wyce received credit for his second win and Curt Davis, who went all the way, lost his second.

Trailing 6-1 and handcuffed by Davis' two-hit pitching, the Bruins broke out with four runs in the sixth on a combination of singles by Billy Schuster, Phil Cavaretta, Goodman, Dominic Dallessandro and Don Johnson and a walk.

Johnson singled in Dallessandro who had walked to tie it up in the eighth and Nicholson came through with his big wallop after two were out in the ninth. Nicholson socked his second homer of the year in the second inning.

Dixie Walker collected three singles in five at bats to up his average to .424 while Catcher Bobby Bragan batted in two runs with a perfect day at bat on two singles and a double in three tries.

Brooklyn	AB	H	O	A	Chicago.	AB	H	O	A
B'garay,3b	5	2	1	2	Schuster,ss	5	1	0	3
Walker,cf.	5	3	0	0	C'rretta,1b	4	1	7	1
Olmo,cf..	4	2	2	0	Goodman,lf	5	3	1	0
Galan,lf..	4	0	1	0	N'holson,rf	4	2	3	0
Schultz,1b	5	0	12	0	D'sandro,cf	3	1	3	0
Hart,ss...	3	1	0	4	Hughes,3b.	3	0	3	5
Bragan,c..	3	3	8	1	Johnson,2b	4	3	5	2
A'hman,2b	4	1	2	2	Kreitner,c	2	0	4	0
Davis,p...	4	0	0	3	†Sauer....	1	0	0	0
					Holm,c...	1	0	1	0
Totals..	37	12*	26	12	Alderson,p	0	0	0	0
					Derringer,p	2	0	0	0
					‡Fa'ko....	1	0	0	0
					Wyse,p....	1	0	0	0
					Totals..	36	11	27	11

*Two out when winning run scored.
†Batted for Kreitner in sixth.
‡Batted for Derringer in sixth.

Brooklyn	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—6
Chicago	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	1	0	—7

Runs—Bordagaray, Walker, Olmo (2), Hart, Ankenman, Schuster, Cavarretta, Goodman (2), Nicholson, Dallessandro (2). Errors—Schuster, Johnson. Runs batted in—Bordagaray, Walker, Bragan (2), Ankenman, Nicholson (3), Dallessandro (2), Johnson (2). Two-base hits—Bordagaray, Bragan, Nicholson. Home run—Nicholson. Sacrifices—Olmo, Hughes. Double play—Schuster to Johnson to Cavarretta. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 8; Chicago, 7. Base on balls—Davis, 3; Alderson, 1; Derringer, 2. Strikeouts—Davis, 6 Alderson, 1; Derringer, 1; Wyse, 1. Hits—Alderson, 4 in ⅔; Derringer, 6 in 5⅓; Wyse, 2 in 3. Winnng pitcher—Wyse. Umpires—Magerkurth, Dunn and Stewart. Time—2:16. Attendance—2578.

Camp Lee Nine Beats Pickett, 6 to 4

Camp Pickett, Va., May 16 (AP).—Bunching five hits for six runs in the opening two frames, Camp Lee defeated Camp Pickett here yesterday afternoon, 6-4.

Kosinski, O'Laughlin and Big Ed Kennedy hit opportunely to keep the Travellers ahead while (Pop) Stone and Fred Wolfe were keeping the Pickett batsmen in line.

				R.	H.	E.
Lee	3	3	0	0—6	8	1
Pickett	0	0	0	3	0—4	7	4

Stone, Wolfe and Stydahar; Sloan, Sinutko and Bray.

Cecil Isbell Is Named Head Coach at Purdue

Lafayette, Ind., May 16 (AP).—Cecil Isbell, the Houston, Tex., boy who gained fame as a forward passer at Purdue University and later with the Green Bay Packers, today was appointed head football coach at Purdue by Athletic Director Guy Mackey.

Isbell succeeds Elmer Burnham, who resigned Sunday to accept a long-term contract as head football coach at the University of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y.

Isbell was backfield coach of the Purdue team that went through last season undefeated and untied.

Isbell started his college football career at Purdue in 1935 and was a backfield star for three years. He played with the Green Bay Packers five years and returned to Purdue last year.

CECIL ISBELL

Cavaliers Meet Va.Tech Today

Charlottesville, Va., May 16 (AP).—Virginia's Cavaliers will meet Virginia Tech in a baseball game tomorrow afternoon at Blacksburg and Saturday will return to the university for a game with Hampdey-Sydney. This is the first meeting with either team for the season for the Virginians, who broke even with the Richmond Spiders, defending champions of the Southern Conference.

Hank Neighbors and "Tex" Richards will be available for mound duty against the Gobblers.

The Cavaliers have games slated with two service teams, meeting the Carrier Aircraft Service Unit 21 here May 24, and playing Camp Lee May 27 at the camp.

2 Former Mat Rivals Enjoy Reunion at Sea

Los Angeles, May 16 (AP).—Lieut. Peter I. Culbertson and Capt. Frank B. Baldwin, wrestling rivals in their college days, had an unexpected but very welcome reunion in a rescue mission off the coast of Santa Barbara, Calif.

Captain Baldwin of Lapeer, Mich., was forced down Saturday when the tail of his Marine Corps plane was sheared away in collision with another plane. A Catalina flying boat circled helplessly over his life raft, unable to pick him up from the rough sea.

But three hours later a Navy blimp arrived, commanded by Lluetnenant Culbertson whose crew dropped a line and harness and hauled Baldwin aboard.

Culbertson was a member of the wrestling team at the University of Minnesota when Baldwin was on the Waynesboro Teachers' College team.

"One of the happiest moments of my life was when I saw that airship approaching," said Baldwin. "I knew that by the time surface craft arrived I would be done for."

The 11th Naval District which announced the rescue said that Lieut. E. R. Haynes of Athens, Ga., pilot of the plane which collieded with Baldwin's, is missing.

Winchester Park Nine To Play Front Royal

Winchester, Va., May 16.—The Winchester Park nine which opened the season last Sunday by defeating the Williamsport "Wildcats," 5-2, will meet the Front Royal Remount Station baseball team here Sunday.

Brumbaugh who turned the Marylanders back with only five hits and struckout 17, may get the ned again this Sunday.

New Orleans Sends Hurler to Zanesville

New Orleans, May 16 (AP).—The New Orleans Pelicans released Rookie Pitcher Al Briede to Zanesville today with instructions that he pitch in his regular turn. The 18-year-old New Orleans boy, playing his first season of professional ball, is credited with one of the Pelicans' three victories this season.

Braves Blank Reds, 1 to 0; Square Series

Cincinnati, May 16 (AP).—Boston's Braves evened up their shutout series with the Cincinnati Reds today, taking the fourth game, 1 to 0, to give each team a pair of whitewash jobs.

The Reds put a little more drama into their two wins, with Bucky Walters throwing a one-hitter Sunday and Clyde Shoun a no-hitter yesterday, but today's six-hit pitching by Nate Andrews counted just as much in the standings.

Singles by Charles Workman and Clyde Kluttz, a sacrifice, and a fly, produced the Boston run in the second inning. The Reds chased Andrews with three singles of their six hits in the ninth but Al Javery stopped the threat.

Boston.	AB	H	O	A	Cincinnati	AB	H	O	A
Holmes,cf.	4	0	3	0	Clay,cf....	2	0	3	0
Macon,1b..	4	0	15	0	Marshall,rf	2	1	3	0
Nieman,lf	4	0	3	0	W'liams,2b	4	1	3	4
W'kman,rf	4	1	3	0	W'ker,rf,cf	4	1	2	0
Kluttz,c..	4	3	0	0	M'C'rick,1b	3	1	9	1
Ryan,3b..	3	1	3	7	Tipton,lf..	4	0	2	0
P'lips,3b..	4	1	0	2	Miller,ss..	4	1	3	1
W'mann,ss	3	0	0	5	Aleno,3b..	3	1	0	1
Andrews,p	3	0	2	0	*Rice.....	0	0	0	0
Javery,p..	0	0	0	0	Mueller,c.	4	0	2	0
					Heusser,p.	2	0	0	1
Totals..	33	6	27	16	†Criscolla.	1	0	0	0
					Ferguson,p	0	0	0	2
					Totals..	33	6	27	10

*Ran for Aleno in ninth.
†Batted for Heusser in eighth.

Boston	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Run—Workman. Errors—Ryan, Williams. Runs batted in—Phillips. Two-base hits—Marshall, Walker. Three-base hit—Ryan. Double play—Wietelmann to Ryan to Macon. Left on bases—Boston, 8; Cincinnati, 8. Bases on balls—Andrews, 2. Sacrifice—Ryan. Strikeouts—Andrews, 2; Heusser, 2. Hits—Andrews, 6 in 8⅔; Javery, 0 in ⅓; Heusser, 3 in 8; Ferguson, 3 in 1. Winning pitcher—Andrews. Losing pitcher—Heusser. Umpires—Goetz and Reardon. Time—1:44.

Front Royal Nine Starts Training, Will Open in June

Front Royal, Va., May 16.—After a lapse of eight or nine years, since the Front Royal All Stars disbanded, Front Royal will be represented again in baseball this season.

The industrialization of the town, and an extensive construction project in progress at a local war plant, have brought in numerous baseball men of former league and college experience and approximately 25 candidates are listed for a prospectvie nine which will be ready for the field early in June.

The new team will be sponsored by the community with a board of directors of five men who are, J. M. Gilliam, president; William B. Carter, secretary; James H. Shiner, treasurer; William C. Armstrong and J. A. Cross.

Claude A. Stokes, jr., has been elected business manager; Frank Nesbitt, of the old Front Royal All Stars, field manager, and William S. Davis, official scorekeeper. Allen ("Coopie") Goodwin, also of the All Stars, will coach infield players; Donald Shannon, former Roanoke College outfielder, will coach the outfield players, and W. E. ("Red") Harrell, former league pitcher, will instruct the pitching section.

Stokes is ready to schedule games for the season.

Sox Chase Champs' Ace Out in 6th

New York, May 16 (AP).—Hank Borowy's winning strek of 11 pitching victories, excluding a triumph in the 1943 World Series, and two in the spring training season, was halted today when the Chicago White Sox batted him out of the box in the sixth frame and went on to defeat the New York Yankees, 10 to 4.

Rorowy was clouted for 10 hits during his five and a third innings on the mound.

Thurman Tucker, center fielder for the Sox, poked out a pair of doubles and two singles in five trips to the plate. Rollie Hemsley and Bud Metheny homered for the losers.

——ADD CHISOx—S—BULL									
Chicago.	AB	H	O	A	New York.	AB	H	O	A
Moses,rf...	6	3	6	0	S'weiss,2b.	5	1	5	4
Tucker,cf.	5	4	4	0	Metheny,rf	5	1	3	0
Schalk,2b.	5	2	4	1	Levy,lf....	5	0	2	0
Trosky,1b.	3	1	4	0	Etten,1b..	4	2	7	2
Carnett,lf	3	1	3	0	Savage,3b.	4	3	1	1
Clarke,3b.	2	1	0	2	Lindell,cf.	5	1	3	2
C'inello,3b	2	1	0	0	M'sevich,ss	5	1	1	2
Webb,ss..	5	0	1	4	Hemsley,c..	4	2	5	0
Tresh,c..	3	2	4	1	Borowy,p..	1	0	0	0
Dietrich,p	4	0	0	1	Lyons,p....	2	1	0	0
Totals..	38	15	27	9	Totals..	40	12	27	11

Chicago	0	0	0	1	4	2	0	2	0	0	—10
New York	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	—4

Runs—Moses (3), Tucker (2), Schalk, Trosky, Carnett, Tresh (2), Metheny, Lyons, Etten, Hemsley. Errors—Trosky, Webb, Metheny (2), Stirnweiss, Schalk. Runs batted in—Webb, Savage, Lindell, Tucker (3), Clarke (2), Hemsley, Moses, Carnett, Metheny. Two-base hits—Tucker (2), Trosky, Cuccinello, Moses. Three-base hit—Clarke. Home runs—Hemsley, Metheny. Sacrifices—Borowy, Dietrich. Double plays—Lindell to Milosevich to Stirnweiss, Schalk to Webb to Trosky, Stirnweiss to Etten, Etten (unassisted), Milosevich to Stirnweiss to Etten. Left on bases—New York, 12; Chicago, 9. Bases on balls—Borowy, 4; Dietrich, 2; Lyons, 2. Strikeouts—Borowy, 3; Dietrich, 3; Lyons, 2. Hits—Borowy, 10 in 5⅓; Lyons, 5 in 3⅔. Hit by pitcher—Lyons (Trosky). Losing pitcher—Borowy. Umpires—Boyer, Rue and Summers. Time—2:15.

Picture Play Wins British Turf Feature

Newmarket, England, May 16 (AP).—Picture Play, a 15-to-2shot, triumphed in the 1000-guineas race today, traveling the mile in 1:40.2 before a crowd which British racing time but far below peacetime standards.

It was the first outing of the year for the H. Joels' Thoroughbred, who was given a superb ride by Charlie Elliott.

Picture Play finished four lengths in front of Grand Corniche, a 100-to-6 outsider, who in turn held a two-length advantage over Superior, 100 to 9.

The winner, also entered in the Oaks, the Derby and the St. Leger, took over the lead in the final quarter in the race which is restricted to fillies.

There was no overwhelming betting choice although Fair Fame had the heaviest backing and responded by never threatening and finishing fifth behind the three money winners and Uva in fourth place.

Braves Send Pair To Syracuse Club

Boston, May 16 (AP).—Infielder Ben Geraghty and Pitcher George Woodend of the Boston Braves, have been turned over to the Syracuse club of the International League on a 24-hour optional recall basis, Secretary John Quinn announced today.

Geraghty was with the Boston club a part of last season and then went to the Hartford club of the Eastern League. Woodend came up from Hartford this spring.

Billy Knox, Famed Bowler, Dies at 57

Philadelphia, May 16 (AP).—William J. (Billy) Knox, 57, famed bowler and instructor and the first man to roll a perfect game in the American Bowling Congress tournament, died in a hospital early today.

Knox was stricken, presumably with acute indigestion, at hsi home early this morning after returning from a bowling officials' meeting in Elizabeth, N. J. He died five minutes after he was admittde to the hospital.

Still Going Strong

Bob Rutherford, dean of Penn State coaches, has coached golf since its inception at the Nittany institution.

Minor League Results

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Columbus	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	—5	17	1
Minneapolis	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	—3	11	1

Pfund, Lopatka (9) and Burmeister; Sahlin, Horton (2), Curtis (5), Bain (9) and Blaze.

Louisville	1	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	—7	13	1
Milwaukee	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	—6	9	0

Patton, Widmar (8) and Walters; Acosta and Frusti.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Newark at Toronto, wet grounds.
Syracuse at Buffalo, damp.

Major League Standings

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	14	7	.667	—
St. Louis	15	10	.600	1
*WASHINGTON	13	9	.597	1½
Philadelphia	13	10	.565	2
Chicago	11	13	.458	5
*Cleveland	10	14	.417	5½
Boston	8	14	.364	6½
Detroit	9	16	.360	7

*Does not include night game.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cleveland at WASHINGTON (nt.)
Chicago, 10; New York, 4.
St. Louis, 7; Boston, 3.
Philadelphia, 4; Detroit, 3.

TODAY'S GAMES

Cleveland at WASHINGTON (nt.)
Detroit at Philadelphia (night).
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Boston (2).

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
*St. Louis	18	6	.750	...
*Philadelphia	12	9	.571	4½
Cincinnati	13	10	.565	4½
Pittsburgh	10	10	.500	6
Brooklyn	11	12	.478	6½
Boston	12	14	.462	7
New York	11	13	.458	7
Chicago	4	17	.190	11½

*Does not include night game.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Chicago, 7; Brooklyn, 6.
Boston, 1; Cincinnati, 0.
New York at Pittsburgh (rain).
Philadelphia at St. Louis (night).

TODAY'S GAMES

New York at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
Boston at St. Louis.
Brooklyn at Pittsburgh (night).

Boxer Delia Rejected

New York, May 16 (AP).—Freddy Sommers, manager of Mike Delta, lightweight boxer, said today he had received word from Los Angeles that Delia had failed to pass his preinduction Army physical examination because of perforated ear drums and sinus trouble.

Stengel Is Happy—He Has a Winner

Milwaukee, May 16 (AP).—Casey Stengel, whose terms as manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers and Boston Braves might have soured a less patient man, is very much obliged for the combination of circumstances which made him manager of the Milwaukee Brewers.

Stengel took over as pilot of the Brewers May 7, when Charley Grimm was called back to Chicago for his second crack at managing the Cubs. He moved in as manager of a club that had won 4 straight, and watched it run the string to 12 and establish a long early season lead in the American Association race.

The Brewers lost their first game in 13 in the tenth inning yesterday to Louisville.

"It's delightful to be with a winner again," he said today. "Of course, I was with winners while I was playing and as a minor league manager, but that seems like a long time ago.

"This club is playing the same inspired ball it did for Charlie Grimm," he continued, "and for Bill Veeck (Brewer president who is in the Pacific with the Marine Corps), and I like to think they are digging in for me, too.

"It is a very good club, too," he mused, "much better than some I watched day after day in the National League. In fact, you can say that they are all professionals. They cooperate with each other and with me and the result is that they are all making everyone look good. I have seen it otherwise.

"They helped Charlie Grimm back to the Major Leagues—and who knows, they may help me back there some day."

Casey says he likes everything about the job, and he likes Coach Red Smith's work particularly.

"I have been very much impressed with the way Red flashes that hit sign with men on," he grinned. "The boys hit pretty nearly every time.

"The toughest part of the job," he chuckled, "is looking after the social duties I inherited from Grimm. That is quite a load for a man with a lame leg who doesn't play the banjo."

Charles Town Daily Double Pays $670.60

Lucky Jaffa, Hegemon Winning Pair

By Walter Haight
A Staff Correspondent

Charles Town, W. Va., May 16.—A little piece of pasteboard inscribed with the number "8 and 4" sold at the bargain price of $2 about an hour before, was worth $670.60 after the running of the second race here today. That was the pay-off on the daily double going to five lucky ticket holders. Just how these customers arrived at playing the combination, could not be learned but they held the important tickets on R. H. Wesselman's Hegemon and H. R. Tonkins' Lady Jaffra.

Those in a crowd of 4000 who played the individual horses did not do bad, either, Hegemon, ridden by Jockey H. Hadry, came into the wire a length in advance of Stanley Greene, jr.'s Buckeye. Frowned on by the majority of bettors. Hegemon paid a healthy $44.80. Lady Jaffra, ridden by Jockey Woodrow Kirk, came from behind to win going away by a neck from E. E. Miller's Kes. Lady Jaffra paid $16.20.

Morrow's Horse Wins

The best offering of the day was the sixth race, and it proved a romp for William Morrow's Mar d'Esprit, a 5-year-old gray mare who showed quitting habits at Pimlico, where she was beaten by narrow margins in two races. Jockey Willie Daugherty was aboard the daughter of Coq d'Esprit today and kept the more going long enough to win by a length and a half. T. Lea Leatherbury's Sandy Trail was second and two lengths in advance of J. L. Friedman's Red Rosettefl z zz

The fact that Mar d'Esprit was suited by conditions in this test of about 6 furlongs was no secret. She was backed down to 2 to 5 on the approximate odds board and paid exactly that, or $2.80. The mare was clocked in 1:16 3-5.

Charles Town

Entries

By the Associated Press

1—4½; $600; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

High Level	109	Molasses Betts	105
Gitomel	105	Queen Mintoka	104
Happy Hannah	109	Bugler	114
Oomph	109	*Good Dream	104

2—Ab. 4½; $600: 3-year-olds up; clmng.

*Our Orphan	109	*Miss Upstart	104
Wild Call	114	Anyway	109
*Dashing Doe	104	*Blue Melody	104
*Saddling Bell	109	*Muddy Run	109

3—Charles Town course; $600; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

*Gradatim	111	Magic Key	116
First Girl	111	*Wise Shot	111
*Clocks	111	Remolee	116
*Derby Dallas	111		

4—Charles Town course; $600; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

*Laugh and Play	111	Barraca	111
Duchess Del	111	Maiden Fern	111
Gay Player	116	Bagpipe	116
Freetone	111	Burning Step	106
*Mayfair	106		

5—Charles Town course; $600; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Sue	111	Market Place	116
Eye Opener	111	Daring	116
Annapolis Maid	111	Quatre Dom	111
*Inmate	111	Ashame	111

6—1¼; $600; 4-yr.-olds up; allowances.

Baby Boy	112	Match Point	112
High Arch	107	Guerrilla	112
Molasses Mibs	107	*Five o' Four	107

7—Ab. 4½; $600: 3-yr.-olds up; clmng.

*Oddree	104	Royal Echo	109
*All Crystal	109	Ohio Lady	109
Dress Bag	105	Sickle Dart	105
*Rom	109	Light Tide	114

8—6½; $600; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Corrora	110	*Rough Egg	110
*Kant Delay	110	Merciless	110
Big Steel	115	*Empire Isle	113
*Del Charm	105	Tacaro Lilly	110
June Pennant	110		

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

CHARLES TOWN SELECTIONS (Fast)
1—Bugler, High Level, Happy Hannah.
2—Wild Call, Our Orphan, Blue Melody.
3—DARBY DALLAS, Remolee, Clocks.
4—Barraca, Bagpipe, Gay Player
5—Ashame, Inmate, Market Place.
6—Baby Boy, Five-of-Four, Guerrilla.
7—Light Tide, Rom, Ohio Lady.
8—Rough Egg, Empire Isle, Tacaro Lilly.
—Louisville Times (AP).

Bill Bennings

AT CHARLES TOWN
1—Happy Hannah, Bugler, Queen Mintoka.
2—Anyway, Saddling Bell, Dashing Doe.
3—REMOLEE, Clocks, Baby Dallas.
4—Freetone, Laugh and Play, Maiden Fern.
5—Market Place, Sue, Ashame and Baby Boy.
6—Guerrilla, Five O Four.
7—Royal Echo, Ohio Lady, Oddree.
8—Tacaro Lilly, June Pennant, Rough Egg.

Charles Town Charts

TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1944—BY WALTER HAIGHT.
Weather Clear, Track Fast.

FIRST RACE — Charles Town course. Purse, $600. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 1:06½. Winner, R. H. Wesselman. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:19.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Hegemon	5	1[3]	1[nk]	1[1]	$21.40
Buckeye	4	2[nk]	2[1]	2[1]	30.60
Henry's Imp	7	6½	4½	3[1]	3.40
True Pilate	2	5[1]	3[2]	4[4]	7.70
Myrtle M	6	3½	5[1]	5½	8.40
Five Hearts	1	4½	6[3]	6[2]	6.00
Pavillion	8	7[2]	7[3]	7[3]	1.40
Persian Queen	3	8	8	8	23.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
HEGEMON (Hadry) $44.80 20.20 11.60
BUCKEYE (Grant) 22.40 11.60
HENRY'S IMP (Palumbo) 3.80

SECOND RACE — Charles Town course. Purse, $600. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 1:36½. Winner, H. E. Tonkins. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:17⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Lady Jaffa	3	5½	3[1]	1[nk]	$7.10
Kes	1	1[1]	1½	2[2]	3.50
Sampler	4	7[1]	6½	3½	9.20
Star Runner	5	2½	2½	4[nk]	8.20
Dulle	7	6[nk]	4[nk]	5[1]	2.30
Donarose	8	8	7[2]	6[3]	17.50
Pone	1	3[2]	5[nk]	7[2]	5.70
Wabaunsee	6	4[1]	8	8	13.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
LADY JAFFA (W.Kirk) 16.20 6.80 3.60
KES (Root) 5.00 2.80
SAMPLER (Sheaffer) 5.00

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $670.60.

THIRD RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds; claiming. Start good. Off at 2:03½. Winner, T. Leatherbury. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:22⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Consignment	7	5[1]	2[nk]	1¾	$2.20
Bonnie Ina	3	2[nk]	3[2]	2½	1.90
Freland's Onw	4	1½	1[1]	3[2]	6.20
Patch Party	2	3[3]	4[3]	4[4]	3.90
High Alta	5	6[4]	7	5[3]	52.80
Y'ng and Gay	1	4½	5½	6[nk]	27.50
State Secret	6	7	6½	7	12.60

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
CONSIGNMENT (Root) 6.00 3.40 2.40
BONNIE INA (Powell) 3.20 2.80
FRELAND'S OWN (Frani) 2.80

FOURTH RACE — Charles Town course. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 2:33. Winner, O. C. Smith. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:15⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Town Hall	2	2[2]	2[2]	1½	$3.80
Lord Loudoun	3	1[2]	1[2]	2[1]	3.80
Royal Fleet	5	3[4]	3[3]	3[2]	11.80
Wal Allright	6	6	6	4½	1.[illegible]
Com'y Player	4	5[3]	5[3]	5[3]	4.60
Golden Babe	1	4[3]	4[nk]	6	17.60

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
TOWN HALL (W.Kirk) ... 26.0 5.40 3.80
LORD LOUDOUN (Palumbo) ... 6.00 5.00
ROYAL FLEET (Sheaffer) 6.60

FIFTH RACE—About 7 furlongs. Purse, $600. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 2:58. Winner, C. P. Sowers. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:27⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Palgene	2	1[1]	1[1]	1[1½]	$8.10
John's Buddy	3	4[1]	3[2]	2[nk]	6.90
Some Where	3	2[2]	2[2]	3[3]	1.90
Col. Scott	7	7[1]	7[1]	4½	22.70
Strana	6	5½	5½	5[1]	3.30
Tantrum	5	3[3]	4[1]	6[1]	14.50
Miss Defnce	1	6[1]	6[1]	7[1½]	42.60
Dot Says Not	8	8	8	8	29.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
PALGENE (Sheaffer) ... 18.20 10.00 3.00
JOHN'S BUDDY (Leggett) 8.40 3.40
SOME WHERE (Grant) 2.20

SIXTH RACE — Charles Town course. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 3:27½. Winner, W. Morrow. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:16⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Mar d'Esprit	3	1½	1[1]	1[1½]	$0.40
Sandy Trail	6	5[1½]	3[2]	2[1]	13.90
Red Rosette	4	6	4[1]	3[nk]	6.50
Milk Choc'ate	1	2[2]	2[1½]	4[3]	6.80
Diaro	2	3[1]	5[2]	5[2]	33.20
John's Teddy	5	4[hd]	6	6	10.20

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
MAR D'ESPRIT (Daurk'ty) 2.80 2.80 2.40
SANDY TRAIL (Grant) 7.60 3.80
RED ROSETTE (Bletzacker) 2.80

SEVENTH RACE—About 4½ furlongs. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 3:58. Winner, Mrs. T. Lewis. Value to winner, $425. Time, 0:49⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Big Talk	3	1[1]	-[2]	1[1]	$7.00
Mardi Gras	2	2[2]	2[1½]	2[nk]	1.20
Victory Blue	1	4[1]	3[1]	3[2]	3.40
Top Transit	6	5[1]	5[1]	4[ns]	4.60
Silver Beam	5	6	6	5[4]	6.90
Ginogret	4	3[1]	4½	6	41.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
BIG TALK (Grant) 16.00 6.60 3.20
MARDI GRAS (Sheaffer) 2.80 2.60
VICTORY BLUE (Bletzacker) 2.80

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $600. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 4:23½. Winner, G. C. Smith. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:47⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Waugh Pop	2	3[2]	1½	1[2]	$1.40
Gendarme	1	1[nk]	3[1]	2[hd]	4.20
The Berries	5	2[3]	2½	3[ns]	42.70
Allen Caid	8	5[4]	4[3]	4[3]	3.80
Danzig	6	4[1]	5[4]	5[3]	9.50
G.C.Hamilton	7	7[1]	6[2]	6½	11.70
Summer Stock	3	6½	7[2]	7[1]	17.40
Dark Ace	4	8	8	8	18.90

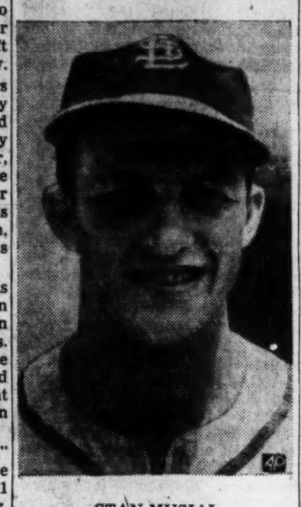
Two-dollar mutuels paid:
WAUGH POP (Root) 4.80 2.60 2.00
GENDARME (Bletzacker) 4.60 3.60
THE BERRIES (Edens) 9.00

A One-Two Punch

Cardinal Hopes Dimmed As Musial Passes Physical

St. Louis, May 16 (AP).—Stan Musial, the St. Louis Cardinals' hard-hitting outfielder, passed his preinduction physical examination today and joined his teammate, Danny Litwhiler, in awaiting call to report for service in the Navy.

Litwhiler has been playing on borrowed time since April 18, when he went through the mill at Jefferson Barracks. Musial will be able to continue with the Cardinals for three weeks or more until his draft board summons him for active duty.



STAN MUSIAL

Departure of the two sluggers will leave the Cardinals seriously short handed in the outfield and decidedly weaker at bat. Johnny Hopp, the other regular outfielder, was rejected for military service recently. As replacements for Musial and Litwhiler, the Cardinals have only over-age Pepper Martin, 4-F Augie Bergamo and 1-A Deds Garms.

As a sophomore, Musial was voted the most valuable player in the National League last year when he batted .357 to top both circuits. He and Litwhiler are among the ten leading hitters this season and their punch has been an important factor in putting the Cardinals in front in the pennant race.

Musial's preinduction "vacation" comes at an opportune time on the Red Birds' schedule. The next 21 games are with the Eastern clubs, which currently are not too strong, and Musial's continued presence in the line-up will give the Cardinals a chance to fatten their lead against the coming service calls.

In addition to the Navy-bound outfielders, Pitcher Harry Gumbert has been accepted for the Army. Catcher Walker Cooper and Shortstop Martin Marion both have been classified for limited service, although there is no indication that either faces an early summons. The Cardinals have one other catcher, Ken O'Dea, and only one infield replacement, George Fallon, who was rejected for military service today.

Belmont

Results

1—7 fur.; $2000; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming
The Chief, 115 (Woolf) .. 26.00 13.10 8.40
Volitant, 115 (Maschek) 22.20 12.30
Maregay, 113 (Gerlock) 3.40
At Play, Bollinger, Playfields, *Miss Mary Jane, *Sleepytime Gal, Run Flame, All Which, Headoverheels, Baruna, *Fast Templo, Liberty B. also ran. Time, 1:25⅘.
*Field.

2—4½ fur.; $2200; 2-yr.-old maidens.
Ace Card, 115 (Woolf) 6.70 4.80 3.10
Surosa, 115 (Schmidt) 14.40 6.40
†Spitha, 113 (Gilbert) 2.70
Blenrose, Paint Heart, Rockwood Argo, Sheshoon, Lady Pilot, Miss Brown-King, Stage Queen, Center Stage, *Chrysaloris, *Ellens Slam, *High Romance, *Pinup Girl, *Eluros, *Tintia also ran. Time, 0:52.
†W. Helis entry.
*Field.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $121.40.

3—1⅛; $2200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
Blitzkrieg, 110 (Mills) ... 12.30 6.30 3.90
Nipsickle, 117 (Jemas) 13.00 6.60
Fuego, 112 (Permane) 3.10
Searchlight, Marmeduke, Kingfisher, Red Cin, Art of War, Teta Maude, Crystal also ran. Time, 1:51⅘.

4—5 fur.; $2500; 2-yr.-old colts.
Floodtown, 116 (Mehrtens) .. 5.50 3.60 2.30
Faricutin, 111 (Arcaro) 8.90 3.40
Hillyer Court, 116 (Brooks) 2.20
Frere Jacques, King Dorsett, Bayern also ran. Time, 0:57⅘.

5—About 2; $5000; 4-yr.-olds up.
Iron Shot, 158 (Brown) 8.80 4.20 2.90
Greek Flag, 144 (Walker) 7.50 4.00
The Beak, 132 (Cruz) 3.70
Bill Coffman, Rouge Dragon also ran. Time, 3:49⅘.

6—¾; $4100; 3-yr.-olds; handicap.
By Jimminy, 118 (Atkinson) 11.30 5.80 4.30
Ravenala, 110 (Guerin) 9.30 6.50
Jimmie, 115 (Arcaro) 7.00
Stronghold, Kaylee, Dance Team, Bal Reigh also ran. Time, 1:11½.

7—1¼; $3600; 3-yr.-olds up; handicap.
Great Rush, 115 (Lynch) .. 7.50 4.00 2.60
Air Current, 121 (Longden) 4.90 3.50
Paper Boy, 110 (Permane) 3.40
Zanzibar, Dartaway, Anibras, Breezing Home, Bon Jour, Anticlimax also ran. Time, 1:42⅘.

8—1½; $3000; 3-yr.-old up maidens.
Kopar, 121 (Jemas) 3.20 2.60 2.50
Velikie Luki, 112 (Dodson) 4.50 3.70
Oh Ma Ma, 100 (Goggi) 5.90
Porter's Pride, Pallene, Seafight, Big Me also ran. Time, 2:34.

Post Consensus

AT BELMONT PARK
1—No selections.
2—First Gun, Songburst, Fleetair.
3—Ayah's Boy, Bell Tower, Forest Ranger.
4—No selections.
5—Nance's Ace, Ariel Game, Freezout.
6—TWILIGHT TEAR, Whirlabout, Dora Dear.
7—Fire Sticky, Free Lance, Everget.
8—Futurama, Party Buster, Smiles.

AT HAWTHORNE
1—Free Miss, Santonian, Gentle Savage.
2—PALADIN, Gay Thorn, Garden Pot.
3—Major-Luginbuel entry, Valdale, Star Thorne.
4—Swing Leader, Say Nomore, Hada Moon.
5—Lookout Blond, Guante, Rose Canyon.
6—Black Time, Chief Bud, Beckhampton.
7—Owasse, Milk Flip, Lady Flares.
8—Poet Laureate, Tip Your Hat, Very True.

Athletics Under School

Since 1930, all intercollegiate sports at Penn State have been administered under the direct supervision of the school of physical education and athletics.

Belmont Park

Entries

By the Associated Press

1—4½; $2200; maiden 2-year-olds.

Plebiscite	116	Yankee Clipper	116
Alzahad	116	Ecolire	116
King Appell	116	Firing Fort	116
Croupier	115	Fathe Neptune	116
Rockwood Play	116	In the Bag	116
*Capito	111	Sea Swallow	116
Court Yard	116		

2—¾; $2200; maiden 3-year-old fillies.

Flame Opal	114	Daylight	114
Glittery	114	Fleet Air	114
Estate	114	Fledgling	114
Tauter	114	†Zaca Bee	114
Surf	114	*Sun Banner	109
Cannikin	114	Dancing Patsy	114
All White	114	Rosy Cheek	114
Rockwood Edah	114	First Gun	114
Miss Winks	114	Spirit Level	114
Songburst	114		

†Formerly Zaca Flower.

3—Ab. 1⅛ m.; $2000; 3-year-olds up.

*†Fighting Mac	137	*Blue Funk	140
Bell Tower	150	Royal Ruby II	142
*Artistscope	137	‡Donavatra	130
*†Peat Moss	130	Ayah's Boy	142
‡Binder	142	*Fleet Fox	137
Lazy Nine	150	Noview	147
Forest Ranger	142	American Wolf	155
*Copper Beach	130		

†Mrs. H. Dixon and Brooks Parker entry.
‡Mrs. E. du Pont Weir entry.

4—4½; $2200; maiden 2-year-olds.

Blenel	116	Guam	116
Trademark	116	Heloptic	116
Stager	116	*Stormy	111
Stage Fire	116	Chevronel	116
Valdina Decoy	116	Sea Raft	116
Spartan Noble	116	Block to Block	116
Esteem	116		

5—¾; $3000; 3-year-olds; class C.

Nance's Ace	112	Fleet Town	102
Quarter Moon	122	Ariel Game	112
Tex Martin	115	Que Hora	112
Irish Tar	118	Appleknocker	117
Larky Day	114	Great Ripple	112
Aloray	115	Freezout	122
Eternity	117		

6—Mile; $10,000; 3-year-old fillies.

Galtown	121	John's Dear	121
Miss Biscuit	121	Good Thing	121
Dora Dear	121	Whirlabout	121
Donita's First	121	Twilight Tear	121
Everget	121	†Dare Me	121
†Flash	121		

†Brookmeade Stable entry.

7—Mile; $3600; 3-year-olds; Gold Heels.

Sweeping Time	119	Everget	117
Galactic	122	Spangled Game	119
Fire Sticky	114	*Free Lance	114
*Nursery Tale	112		

8—Mile; $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Party Buster	114	Blenheim Lad	113
Smiles	109	*Five o' Eight	107
Welcome Pass	114	Air Transit	113
Edie Jane	108	Golden Thorn	113
Futurama	114	Rath Ronan	116

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

BELMONT SELECTIONS (Fast)
1—Alzahad, Rockwood Play, King Appell.
2—Rockwood Edah, First Gun, Fleetair.
3—Bell Tower, Ayah's Boy, Forest Ranger.
4—Sea Rafi, Guam, Block to Block.
5—Freezout, Ariel Game, Nance's Ace.
6—TWILIGHT TEAR, Whirlabout, Everget.
7—Fire Sticky, Free Lance, Galactic.
8—Futurama, Rath Ronan, Party Buster.
—Louisville Times (AP).

Hawthorne Entries and Results

Entries

1—¾; $1300; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

*Cincinnatus	111	*Cloe Flight	108
Santonian	107	*Just Hiram	117
*Free Miss	108	*Cohortation	111
Woe	103	Etheldale	113
Gentle Savage	118		

2—¾; $1300; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

*Paladin	115	Dream Fox	118
*Pat Morvich	111	*Gay Thorn	114
*Feudella	108	Maylen	113
*Garden Pot	105	My Crest	113
Dream Pot	105		

3—⅝; $1300; 2-year-old maidens.

Miss Stage	115	Valdina Streak	118
Valdale	118	Starthorne	118
†Vinita Upset	118	Mid Tack	118
†Vinta Major	118		

†Mrs. G. E. Major and Mrs. R. Luginbuel entry.

4—6½; $1300; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

*Rexavis	115	Swing Leader	118
Hadamoon	113	Chanting	113
*Valnor	108	*Say No More	108
Jungle Moon	116	Short Shrift	113

5—1⅛; $1300; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Rose Canyon	113	Guante	113
Vain Flag	113	Lookout Blond	110
*Bosweco	108		

6—1⅛; $1300; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Beckhampton	114	Old Smokey	114
*Valdina Fop	106	*Black Time	112
*Chief Bud	111	Charlene	111
Eniscorthy	113		

7—1-70; $1300; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Milk Flip	110	*Strombus	105
Letter V.	110	*Valdina Marge	100
Owasse	112	*Lady Flares	100

8—1-70; $1300; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Busy Josie	108	Very True	115
*High Talent	106	Technician	111
Tensleep	106	Poet Laureate	115
*Epigel	101	*Cherry T.	100
*Brilliant Jr.	109	*Tip Your Hat	103

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

HAWTHORNE SELECTIONS (Slow)
1—Gentle Savage, Close Flight, Ethel Dale.
2—Paladin, Pat Morvich, Dream Pot.
3—Valdina Streak, Mid Tack, Starthorne.
4—Short Shift, Jungle Moon, Swing Leader.
5—LOOKOUT BLOND, Guante, Bosweco.
6—Valdina Fop, Charlene, Old Smokey.
7—Owasse, Milk Flip, Lady Flares.
8—Technician, Cherry T., Poet Laureate.

Results

1—¾; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
String Band, 112 (Fontaine) 11.20 4.60 3.40
Proud Sister, 108 (Haynes) 3.00 2.60
Smoky Snyder, 112 (Henson) 3.40
Grand Rush, Victory Play, Hy-Trite, Gainer, Grand News, Sweet Helen, Pidgy also ran. Time, 1:15⅘.

2—¾; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
Skagway, 113 (Calvin) 14.80 5.80 4.20
Military Sand, 105 (Haynes) 5.60 4.40
Cannon's Banner, 113 (Pena) 9.80
Perplex, Jungle Moon, Jackorack, Miss Monarch, Free Style, Lookout Rascal also ran. Time, 1:14⅘.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $80.80.

3—¾; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
Liberty Flight, 114 (Thornburg) 6.60 3.80 2.80
To a Tee, 120 (Grohs) 3.80 2.80
Anxiety, 104 (Haynes) 3.80
Devil's Frolic, Pennsburg, Itsbo, Elcinap also ran. Time, 1:15⅘.

4—¾; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
David B. Jr., 114 (Grohs) ... 8.00 3.40 2.60
Highthorne, 114 (Hooper) 3.20 2.60
Uh Huh, 107 (Pena) 3.00
Sildonna, Sweet Story, Field D'Or, Woodsman also ran. Time, 1:15⅘.

5—6½ fur.; $1300; 3-yr.-olds; allowances.
Tawny Lady, 108 (Haynes) .. 8.00 4.00 out
Paragram, 116 (Seabo) ..... 5.00 out
Valdina Maiden, 116 (Pena) ..... out
Damie also ran. Time, 1:19⅘.

6—¾; $1500; 3-yr.-olds; handicap.
Bushwhacker, 105 (Grohs) 22.60 8.80 6.00
†Sales Talk, 110 (Haynes) 4.60 6.40
†Bright Willie, 113 (Warren) 6.40
Chipamink, Fire Dust, Topnard, Full Cry also ran. Time, 1:13⅘.
†Creech and McIlvain entry.

7—¾; $1300; 3-yr.-olds; claiming.
June T., 109 (Seabo) 6.60 3.60 2.60
Whoozenrral, 105 (Haycock) 5.60 2.80
Sweeping Ahead, 109 (Pena) 2.20
Campion Hall, Campatriot, Robin's Crown also ran. Time, 1:14⅘.

8—1¼; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
Chocolate Maid, 109 (Seabo) 9.20 4.80 3.20
Pamphlet, 108 (Cavens) 7.60 4.40
Kiev Lee, 108 (Campbell) 3.40
Royal Risk, Happy Choice, Anonymous, Farragut, Three Sands also ran. Time, 1:57⅘.

Twilight Tear Goes Today In Belmont's Acorn Stakes

New York, May 16 (AP).—Twilight Tear, regarded by many turf critics as hte best 3-year-old in Wauren Wright's strnig despite the twin victories of Pensive, is entered in tomorrow's $10,000 Acorn Stakes at Belmont.

The daughter of Bull Lea out of Lady Luck will be asked to go a mile aganist nine other fillies. Last year's race was won by Wright's Nellie L, with a clocking of 1:38 3-5.

Twilight Tear, easy winner of the Pimlico Oaks last week, has won six of her seven starts this year, dropping only the first when she raced against colts at Hialaeh.

Others named for tomorrow's test are Alf Vanderbilt's Good Thing, L. B. Mayer's Whirlabout, Mrs. W. S. Farish's John earD, Flash and Dare Me from the stable of Mrs. Dodge Sloan; Don Ross' Everget, Henry Lustig's Donita's First, Dora Dear, from the William Woodward strnig and Miss Biscuit, property of Mrs. B. K. Douglas.

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St. Alban's Baby Blues, behind the two-hit hurling of John Hart, blanked the Friends Juniors yesterday, 8 to 0, at St. Albans.

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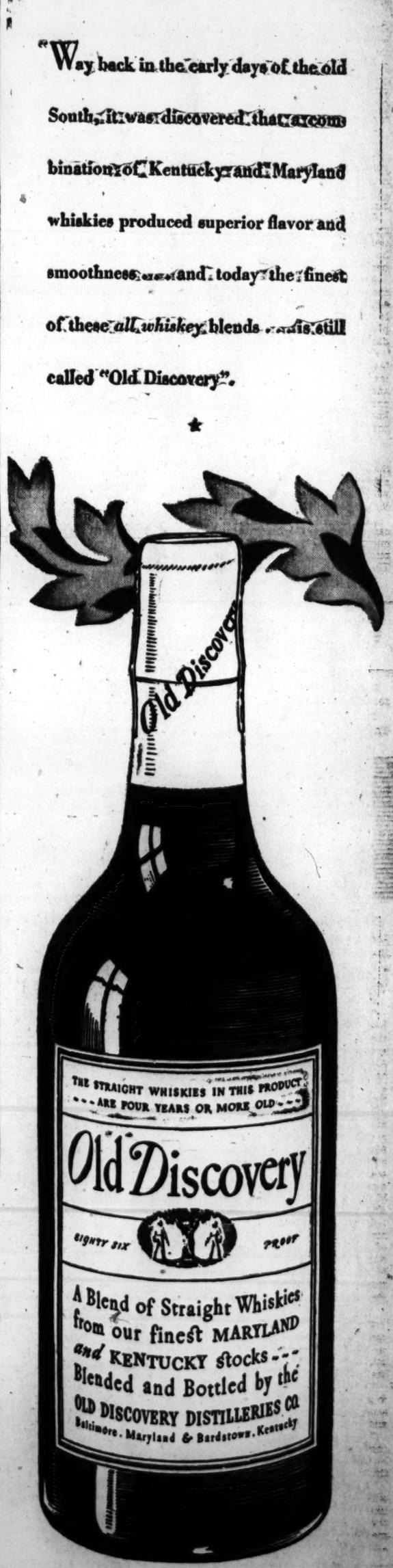
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Southern Rwy. Net Off Despite Record Traffic

By S. Oliver Goodman

Freight and passenger revenues of the Southern Railway Co. reached new high records in 1943, but net operating income decreased, President Ernest E. Norris of Washington told stockholders at the fiftieth annual meeting yesterday in Richmond.

Gross revenues last year totaled $245,532,051, an increase of $40,926,470, or 20 per cent above the previous year, he said. However, net operating income showed a decline from $46,265,818 in 1942, to $35,744,757 in 1943. Mr. Norris attributed the drop mainly to higher basic wages, increases in coal prices and the advances in railway tax accruals.

"Large as were the increases in gross revenue, the 1943 increases in operating expenses and railway tax accruals were even greater," he said, reporting $136,604,153 for operating expenses and $70,437,236 for tax accruals. These were 20 per cent and 69.7 per cent more than in 1942, respectively.

Stockholders authorized the board to simplify its corporate setup by acquiring all the franchises, rights and properties of four subsidiaries.

The subsidiaries include the Southern Railway Co. in Kentucky, the Southern Railway Co. in Indiana, the Cumberland Co. and the Virginia & Southwestern Railway Co. Any action on the authorization would be subject to approval by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The stockholders ratified the refunding of the Atlanta & Charlotte Air Line Railway Co.'s bonds to effect an estimated saving of $460,500 a year in Southern's fixed charges.

All directors were reelected and in turn all officers were reelected.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Sellout for Hecht Stock

A complete sellout of the 191,515 shares of Hecht Co. stock, offered publicly yesterday at $21.75 a share, was reported last night among local brokers.

Representative of the comment among local dealers was that of Joseph K. McCammon of the investment house of Auchincloss, Parker & Redpath: "We couldn't begin to meet the demand for Hecht stock. We sold out our portion of the offered stock in quick time and a checkup showed that not a single share at noon was available at the offering price."

Local brokers thought it probable that Hecht Co. may apply for listing of the issue on the Washington Stock Exchange, as well as the New York Stock Exchange.

B. & O. Elevates Goebel

Appointment of F. J. Goebel as director of personnel for the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, with headquarters in Baltimore, has been announced. Goebel was former assistant general solicitor for the railroad at Cincinnati. W. G. Carl, former assistant to the vice president, was named superintendent of the wage bureau at Baltimore.

Late Earnings Statements

National Container Corp. and subsidiaries report net income of $258,787 for the first quarter ended March 31, or 78 cents a share, compared with $175,140, or 53 cents a share, for the same period last year.

Standard Oil Co. of Ohio reports consolidated net profit for March quarter of $1,247,740, equal to $1.22 on common, compared with $1,211,232, or $1.40 in 1943 quarter.

Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway system reports net income for the first three months of 1944 of $10,159,417, equal to $3.55 a common share, compared with $12,575,641, or $4.54 a share for the 1943 period.

Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad reports net income for the first three months of 1944 of $5,191,389, equal to $3.04 a share, compared with $9,920,481, or $5.80 a share for the 1943 period. March net income for the two years was $1,486,830 and $4,006,055, respectively.

Richfield Oil Corp. reports net profit for the quarter ended March 31 of $886,281, equal to 2 2cents a capital share, compared with $854,596, or 16 cents a share in the comparable 1943 quarter.

Columbian Carbon Co. reports net profit for the March quarter of $859,654, equal to $1.60 a share, compared with $842,399, or $1.57 a share in the first quarter last year. The report said figures for this year may be subject to renegotiation adjustment.

Black & Decker Mfg. Co. reports consolidated net profit for the six months ended March 31 of $725,948, equal to $1.86 a share, compared with $531,664, or $1.36 in the preceding comparable period.

Wabash Railroad reports net income for the first three months of 1944 of $1,604,456, equal to $2.10 a common share, compared with $1,888,643, or $2.57 in the period a year ago. March net income was $631,488, against $757,880 for the 1943 month.

Bell Succeeds Knox As Chicago News Head

Chicago, May 16 (AP).—The election of Laird Bell as president of the Chicago Daily News, Inc., filling the vacancy caused by the death of Navy Secretary Frank Knox, was announced today.

Bell, who was chosen by the board of directors, has been counsel for the Daily News for many years and has been a director since 1926. He also is one of the three executors named in Colonel Knox's will. Other officers of the corporation were retained in their positions.

Sales Dry Up, Grain Futures Rally Slightly

Chicago, May 16 (AP).—Selling, which had knocked the grain market down to the lowest levels of the year during the past few sessions, appeared to have dried up today, and as a result the market staged a moderate advance. Activity was lighter than late last week and much of the buying was attributed to covering by previous short sellers.

Although news was meager, the market derived some support from less optimistic reports on the Kansas wheat crop, an onnouncement by General Foods Corp. that it had perfected a method to make sirup corn bookings because of wet weather in Illinois.

May wheat, oats and barley held unchanged at ceilings. Active wheat futures closed ⅝ to ⅞ higher, July $1.65⅞; active oats ⅛ to ½ higher; July 78¾; active barley 1¼ to 1½ higher, July $1.22⅞, and rye ⅞ to 1½ higher, May $1.23½@$1.23⅝.

Range follows:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.73⅜	1.73⅜	1.73⅜	1.73⅜
July	1.65⅜	1.65⅞	1.65¼	1.65⅞
September	1.62	1.62½	1.62	1.62½
December	1.61⅞	1.62¼	1.61½	1.62¼
Oats—				
May	82	82	82	82
July	78½	78½	77⅞	78⅜
September	72⅜	72⅝	72	72⅜
December	70⅞	71¼	70¾	71¼
Rye—				
May	1.23¼	1.23⅝	1.22¼	1.23⅜
July	1.19¾	1.20⅝	1.19¾	1.20⅝
September	1.16⅜	1.17⅛	1.16⅜	1.17⅛
December	1.17⅛	1.18½	1.17⅛	1.18½
Barley—				
May	1.28	1.28	1.28	1.28
July	1.22	1.22⅞	1.21⅞	1.22⅞
September	1.13	1.14⅝	1.12¾	1.14⅝

Cash grain

WHEAT—No sales.

BARLEY—Malting, 1.25@1.44½ (nominal); feed, 1.15@1.22½ (nominal).

FIELD SEED (per 100 lbs.)—Timothy, 5.75@6.00 (nominal); red top, 14.00@15.00 (nominal); red clover, 31.50 (nominal); sweet clover, 10.50 (nominal).

20th Century-Fox Net Rises Sharply

New York, May 16 (AP).—William C. Michel, executive vice president of Twentieth Century-Fox Film Corp., told the annual meeting today that consolidated net profit for the quarter ended March 25 was $3,186,000, equal after preferred dividends, to $1.57 a common share.

Earnings for the like period last year, on the same consolidated basis, were $2,673,000, or $1.30 a common share.

Michel said net profits actually reported for the first quarter last year were $1, 751,739, or 81 cents a common share, not including income from National Theatres Corp. and Roxy Theatre.

He explained that Twentieth Century-Fox last July brought the outstanding majority interest in National Theatres Corp., which became a wholly-owned subsidiary.

New Reorganization Plan Filed for Utility

Richmond, Va., May 16 (AP).—Another plan of reorganization for the Central States Electric Corp., was filed in U. S. District Court of Eastern Virginia today by the Reeve protective committee for debentures, opposing trustees' plan of reorganization filed here in February.

Proceedings for reorganization of the corporation have been continued to Tuesday, July 18, in an order entered by Judge Robert N. Pollard, on request of attorneys representing committees and trustees. The continuance was asked on grounds that an appeal is pending in the Fourth United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Celanese Declares Stock Dividend

New York, May 16 (AP).—Celanese Corp. of America directors declared today a stock dividend of one share of common for each 70 shares held, payable June 30 to holders of record June 16. A similar payment was made last March 31.

An initial quarterly dividend of $1.18¾ was ordered on the new $4.75 first preferred stock and a regular quarterly disbursement of $1.75 on the 7 per cent second preferred. Both were payable July 1 to holders of record June 16.

Dividend Actions

New York, May 16 (AP).—Dividends declared:

Interim	Rate.	Pe-riod.	Stk. of record.	Pay-able.
Du Pont de Nem	$1.25	..	5-22	6-14
Extra				
Petroleum Expl	15c	..	6-1	6-10
Irregular				
Boston Wharf	75c	..	6-1	6-30
Wisconsin El Pow	15c	..	5-15	6-1
Regular				
Atlas Press	25c	..	6-5	6-10
Chi Rivet & Mach	15c	..	5-25	6-15
Christiana Secur	$22.00	..	5-22	6-15
Community P S	40c	..	5-27	6-16
Devonian Oil	25c	Q	5-3	6-15
Federal M & Smelt	50c	..	5-29	6-20
Gt At & Pac Tea	$1.00	..	5-18	6-1
Kobacker Strs	25c	..	5-27	6-12
Kress Sh & Co	40c	Q	5-12	6-14
National Oats	25c	..	5-20	6-1
Niles B Pond	50c	..	6-5	6-15
Pet Exploration	25c	Q	6-1	6-10
Philco Corp	20c	..	5-27	6-12
Std Oil Ky	25c	Q	5-31	6-15
Twin Disc Clutch	75c	Q	6-14	6-24
Veeder Root	50c	..	6-1	6-15
Waukesha Motor	25c	Q	6-1	7-1
Weyenberg Shoe	37½e	..	6-1	6-15
Assoc Invest	40c	Q	6-12	6-30
Copperweld Steel	20c	..	6-1	6-10
Popper Weld Stl pf	62½c	Q	6-1	6-10
Driver Harris	60c	..	6-12	6-26
Pacific Mills	50c	Q	6-1	6-15
Rheem Mfg	25c	Q	5-26	6-15
Sutherland Paper	30c	..	5-27	6-15
Travelers Insur	$4.00	Q	5-24	6-10
West Va Pulp&Pap	20c	..	6-15	7-1

Commodity Index

New York, May 16.—The Associated Press weighted wholesale prices index of 35 commodities today declined to 106.70.

Previous day, 106.72; week ago, 106.81; month ago, 107.06; year ago, 106.11.

	1944.	1943.	1942.	1941.
High	107.43	107.54	103.22	95.12
Low	106.03	103.43	95.54	77.03

(1926 average equals 100.)

Government Bonds

Treasury Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.
2½s, '52-50 Sept	100.31	100.31	100.31
2½s, 1959-58	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
2½s, 1968-63	94¼	94¼	94¼
2½s, '69-64 Jun	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜
2½s, 1972-67	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
Home Owners Loan			
1¼s, 1947-45	116⅛	116⅛	116⅛

Dow-Jones Bonds

New York, May 16.

	High	Low	Close
40 bonds	101.56		+0.07
10 higher grade rails	108.00		+0.04
10 second grade rails	80.79		+0.17
10 public utilities	110.84		+0.09
10 industrials	106.91		—0.03

New York Stock Market Quotations

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 536,080 shares; previous day, 337,030; week ago, 620,040; year ago, 930,060; two years ago, 376,780; January 1 to date, 84,110,704; year ago, 137,587,619; two years ago, 41,339,363.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, May 16.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge.
30 inds.	138.61	138.89	138.23	138.41	—0.19
20 rails	38.78	39.07	38.70	38.91	+0.21
15 utils.	22.62	22.66	22.50	22.60	+0.02
65 stks.	49.50	49.66	49.36	49.49	+0.03

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industries, 359,100; railroads, 44,570; utilities, 21,000; 65 stocks, 104,670.

	Sales. Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbot Lab	4	58	57¾	58	+ ¼
Adams Exp	3	11¾	11¾	11¾	— ⅛
Address-Mult	1	21	21	21	....
Air Reduction	15	38	37¾	37¾	— ¼
Alaska Juneau	13	5⅝	5½	5⅝	+ ⅛
Allegheny Corp	14	2¼	2	2	....
Alleg pf	48	29½	27⅝	29	+ 1⅝
Allegh pr pf	21	56¼	52¼	56	+ 5¼
Allen Lud Stl	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	....
Allen Industries	4	11¼	11¼	11¼	....
Al Chem & D	3	142⅝	142	142	— ¾
Allied Mills	9	33¼	32¾	33¼	+ ½
Allied Strs	6	16	15¾	15¾	— ¼
Allied St pf	2	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝	— ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg	4	34⅞	34¾	34⅞	....
Allis-Ch M pf	8	110	109⅞	109⅞	— ⅛
Alpha P Cem	8	19½	19	19½	+ ⅜
Amal Leather	2	2¾	2¾	2¾	+ ⅛
Amerada Pet	3	97	96¼	96¼	@ ¼
Am Airlines	3	61½	61	61½	.... ¼
Am Bank Note	1	16½	16½	16½	6@ ¼
Am Bosch	19	15	14¼	14⅞	+ ⅛
Am Brake Sh	5	41¼	40½	41¼	+ ½
Am Cable & Rad	5	8⅜	8¼	8¼	....
Am Can	4	88¼	88	88	....
Am Car & Fdy	5	33½	33½	33½	....
Am Car&Fpf	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ¼
Am Ch & Cable	4	23⅝	23⅜	23⅝	+ ⅛
Am Distill St	7	29	28⅝	29	+ ½
Am Encaus Til	1	2¾	.2⅝	2⅝	....
Am Export L	2	25½	25	25	....
Am & For Pow	2	4½	4½	4½	....
Am & FP86pf	3	75	74	75	+ 2
Am & F P87pf	4	83	82	82¾	+ 1⅜
Am & FP2pf	21	21¼	20½	21	+ ⅜
Am Home Prod	10	70	69⅞	69⅞	....
Am Ice	52	6⅝	5⅞	6⅜	+ ¾
Am Ice pf	1	64½	64½	64½	@1½
Am Internat	7	8⅜	8¼	8⅜	....
Am Locomot	3	16⅝	16½	16⅝	....
Am M & Pdy	1	15½	15½	15½	@ ⅛
Am M & Met	4	11⅝	11½	11½	....
Am Pow & Lt	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	....
Am P & L $6 pf	3	45½	45	45	+ ½
Am Rad & St S	66	9¼	9⅛	9¼	+ ⅛
Am Roll Mill	21	13¼	13	13⅛	+ ⅛
Am Safety Razor	1	16	16	16	....
Am Seating	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ¼
Am Smelt & R	10	37	36⅝	36⅝	— ⅜
Am Stl Fdrs	3	23⅝	23½	23⅝	+ ⅛
Am Stores	6	15½	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
Am Stove	1	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	....
Am Tel & Tel	16	157¾	157⅜	157¾	+ ⅜
Am Tobacco	2	61¾	61¼	61¾	+ ⅜
Am Tob B	11	62¼	61¾	61¾	— ⅛
Am Type Fdrs	2	10¼	10¼	10¼	+ ⅛
Am Viscose	8	42¾	42½	42½	— ¼
Am Viscose pf	1	118½	118½	118½	+ ⅜
Am Wat Wks	13	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞	+ ⅛
Am Woolen	5	7¾	7½	7½	— ⅛
Am Wool pf	1	82½	82½	82½	+ ¾
Am Zinc L & S	1	4½	4½	4½	....
Anaconda Cop	12	25¼	25⅛	25¼	+ ⅛
A P W Paper	2	2½	2¼	2¼	— ⅛
Arch-Dan-M	1	47	47	47	+ ⅛
Arm Ill	15	5¼	5⅛	5¼	+ ⅛
Arm Ill pf	1	83	83	83	....
Arnold Const	3	10⅛	10	10	— ⅛
Artloom Corp	1	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	— ⅛
Assd Dry Goods	2	13¼	13¼	13¼	+ ⅛
Atch T & S F	11	64¾	64½	64½	+ ⅜
Atch T & S F pf	2	94¼	93¾	93¾	— ⅛
Atl Coast Line	3	38	37¾	38	+ ¼
Atl G & W Ind	1	28	28	28	....
Atl Refining	13	32¼	32	32¼	+ ¼
Atlas Corp	22	12⅝	12⅜	12⅝	+ ⅛
Atlas Tack	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	+ ⅛
Aust Nichols	5	11⅞	11⅝	11¾	+ ¼
Aviation Corp	10	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	....
Bald Loco ct	3	19	19	19	....
Balt & Ohio	16	7¼	7¼	7¼	+ ¼
Balt & Ohio pf	9	14⅜	14¼	14½	+ ⅜
Bangor & Ar	2	9⅞	9¾	9⅞	....
Barber Asph	7	22½	22¼	22¼	— ⅛
Barnsdall Oil	2	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	....
Bath Ir Wks	4	16⅞	16½	16⅝	....
Beatrice Cream	6	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	— ¼
Beech Aircraft	6	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	+ ⅛
Belding-Hem	4	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅛
Bell Aircraft	1	12	12	12	— ¼
Bendix Aviat	4	36	35⅝	35¾	— ¼
Benef Ind Ln	3	17¾	17½	17¾	....
BenIndLn pr pf	1	55	55	55	....
Best & Co	3	37	36¾	37	+ ¼
Best Foods	13	18½	18	18¼	+ ⅛
Beth Steel	19	58	57½	57¾	+ ¼
Beth Steel pf	3	121	120¼	121	+ 1
Bigelow-Sanf	1	44¾	44¾	44¾	+ ¼
Black & Decker	1	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	....
Blaw-Knox	1	8½	8½	8½	— ⅛
Bliss & Laugh	1	17	17	17	....
Boeing Airplane	10	13⅜	13	13	— ⅛
Bohn Al&Brass	1	47¾	47¾	47⅞	....
Bond Strs pf	2	110½	110½	110½	....
Borden Co	11	31½	30⅞	31¼	+ ⅛
Borg-Warner	8	36½	36¾	36½	+ ⅛
Bornhard Aut	6	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
BrewingCorpAm	1	51½	51½	51½	— ⅜
BridgeportBrass	5	9½	9½	9½	....
Briggs Mfg	3	30⅜	30½	30⅜	+ ⅜
Briggs & Strat	1	42½	42½	42½	+ ⅜
Bristol-Myers	3	47½	47⅛	47½	+ ⅜
Bklyn Un Gas	16	20¾	20½	20¾	+ ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	6	8⅞	8⅜	8⅞	+ ⅜
Budd Mfg	11	6⅞	6¾	6⅞	+ ⅛
Burling Mills	1	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	— ⅛
Burr Add Mach	13	12½	12⅜	12⅜	— ⅛
Bush Terminal	3	4⅜	4¼	4⅜	....
Butler Bros	10	10	10	10	+ ⅛
Byers (AM) Co	2	13½	13⅜	13½	+ ⅛
Calif Packing	9	28½	27¾	28½	+ ½
Callahan Z-Ld	1	¾	¾	¾	....
Calumet & Hec	2	6½	6½	6½	....
Can Dry G Ale	2	25¼	25⅛	25¼	— ⅛
Canad Pacific	22	9¼	9⅛	9¼	+ ⅛
Carpenter Stl	4	28½	28½	28½	+ ⅛
Carriers & Gen	6	4¼	4¼	4¼	....
Case (J I) Co	5	35¼	34½	35¼	+ ¾
Caterpil Tract	7	47	46	47	+ 1⅛
Celanese Corp	7	32½	32¼	32⅜	....
Celotex Corp	3	11⅜	11¼	11⅜	+ ⅛
Cent Aguirre	3	19⅞	19⅞	19⅞	+ ⅛
Cent Foundry	6	3¼	3⅛	3⅛	— ⅛
Cent R R N J	7	10	9¾	10	— ⅛
Cent Violet Sug	3	23	22⅞	22⅞	— ⅛
Cerro de Pas	9	31¾	31½	31½	— ⅛
Certain-teed P	2	5⅛	5	5⅛	+ ⅛
Cert-teed pf ct	1	58	58	58	....
Chain Belt	2	17¾	17⅝	17¾	....
Ches & Ohio	13	44¾	44¾	44⅞	@ ⅛
Chi & Ill	7	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	@ ⅛
Chi & E Ill A	6	14⅞	14¾	14⅞	+ ⅛
Chi Grt West	6	6	5⅞	5⅞	+ ⅛
Chi Grt W pf	6	23	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Chi & N West	4	22¾	22½	22½	+ ¼
Chi Mail Order	2	16⅝	16¼	16⅜	+ ⅜
Chi & NW pf	16	54¼	54	54¼	+ ¼
Chi Yell Cab	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Childs Co	3	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	— ⅛
Chrysler Corp	18	85	84¼	84⅝	+ ¼
City Ice & F	23	20	19½	20	....
City Stores	3	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
Clark Equip	1	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	— ⅜
Clev Graph Br	3	40½	40	40½	+ ½
Climax Molyb	2	32¼	32¼	32¼	....
Cluett Peabody	3	35¼	35¼	35¼	+ ¼
Colgate-P-P	14	27½	27⅜	27⅜	— ⅛
Colum Br'cast A	1	31	31	31	....
Colum Br'cast B	1	30¾	30¾	30¾	— ⅛
Colum G & El	37	4⅛	4	4⅛	+ ⅛
Col G & E 6% pf	5	80⅛	80	80	....
Colum Carbon	2	89	88	88	—1
Coml Credit	3	39¾	39¾	39¾	+ ½
Coml Inesvt Tr	2	42¾	42¼	42¼	....
Coml Solvents	11	15	15	15	....
Com & South	32	1⅛	⅝	⅝	1⅛	+ ⅛
Com & South pf	83	83	83	83	+ ½
Com'wealth Ed	15	26¼	26⅛	26¼	....
Conde Nast	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	....
Congoleum-Nairn	1	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Cons Coppermin	2	3½	3½	3½	....
Cons Edison	21	21¾	21¼	21¾	....
Cons Edison pf	3	104¾	104⅝	104¾	....
Consol Film Ind	25	4¾	4¾	4¾	....
Regular					
Cons F Ind pf	8	21½	21¼	21½	+ ⅛
Cons Laundries	2	10½	10½	10½	+ ⅛
Cons Nat Gas	29	30¼	30	30¾	+ ⅛
Cons Vultee	6	12¾	12½	12¾	+ ⅛
Cons Vultee pf	5	20¾	20⅜	20¾	+ ¼
Consol'n Coal	1	15¾	15¾	15¾	— ¼
Container Corp	3	23¼	23⅛	23⅛	....
Cont Bak	1	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	— ⅛
Cont Can	9	37	36¾	36¾	+ ¼
Cont Diam Fib	3	11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ⅛
Cont Ins	1	44¼	44¼	44¼	+ ⅛
Cont Motors	43	6	5⅞	6	....
Cont Oil Del	3	31½	31½	31½	+ ¼
Copperweld Stl	8	11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ¼
Corn Products	13	55¼	54¾	54¾	— ¼
Cornell-Dub El	1	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	+ ⅜
Coty Inc	3	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	+ ⅛
Crane Co	13	23	22¾	23	+ ⅛
Cream of Wh	2	22¼	22¼	22¼	+ ¼
Crosley Corp	10	19¼	19	19	....
Crown Cork & S	1	30¾	30¾	30¾	....
Crown Zeller	1	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	+ ¼
Crucible Steel	5	30⅛	29⅝	30⅛	+ ⅛
Cuban-Am Sug	8	13¾	13⅜	13⅜	+ ⅛
Cudahy Pack	6	24¼	24⅛	24⅛	....
Cuneo Press	1	24	24	24	....
Curtis Publishg	18	5½	5⅜	5⅜	....
Curtiss-Wright	18	5⅛	5	5⅛	+ ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	6	15½	15½	15½	....
Cutler-Hammer	2	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞	+ ¼
Davega Stores	1	7¼	7¼	7¼	— ¼
Davison Chem	3	15	14⅝	15	+ ⅛
Deere & Co	7	39½	39¼	39⅜	+ ⅛
Deere & Co pf	2	33½	33½	33½	— ¼
Del & Hudson	10	27⅜	26⅝	27	+ ¼
Del Lack & W	12	7⅜	7⅛	7⅛	+ ⅛
Detroit Edison	18	19½	19¾	19⅝	— ⅛
Diam Match pf	2	39	38¾	38¾	— ¼
Diam T Motor	2	14¾	14⅝	14⅝	....
Dist Corp-Sea	5	34½	34	34½	+ ⅜
Doehler Die Cas	2	36⅝	36⅜	36⅜	— ⅛
Dome Mines	3	22¼	22	22¼	+ ⅛
Douglas Aircraft	2	48¾	48½	48¾	+ ⅜
Dow Chem pf	6	109¾	108¾	109¾	+ 1
Dresser Mfg	7	33	32⅝	32⅝	— ⅛
du Pont de N	7	144	143¾	143⅞	— ⅛
du Pont pf	1	125½	125	125½	....
Eagle Pich Ld	1	11¼	11¼	11¼	— ⅛
Eastern Air L	1	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	+ ⅛
Eastman Kodak	2	164	164	164	+ ½
Eaton Mfg	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	— ¼
El Auto-Lite	1	41	41	41	+ ¼
Elec Boat	3	10⅜	10⅛	10¼	— ⅛
El Power & Lt	3	4⅛	4	4⅛	....
El Pow &L$6pf	2	85¼	84½	85¼	+ ⅜
El Pow&L$7pf	4	89¾	89	89¾	+ 1
El Storage Bat	2	40⅛	40¼	40⅛	— ¼
El Paso Nat G	2	31	31	31	+ ⅛
Emg Pub Serv	8	11¾	11½	11½	+ ⅛
Erie R R	3	11¼	11⅛	11¼	+ ⅛
Erie RR ctf	53	11¼	11	11¼	+ ⅛
Eureka V Cl	4	7	6⅞	7	+ ⅛
Evans Products	3	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	+ ⅛
Ex-Cell-O	4	30½	30⅛	30½	+ ⅛
Fairbanks Mor	3	39½	39⅛	39½	+ ⅛
Fajardo Sugar	1	21¾	21¾	21¾	— ⅛
Farns Tel &	13	11¾	11¾	11¾	+ ⅛
Fed Lt & Tract	1	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	....
Fed Mot Truck	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	+ ⅛
Fid P Fire Ins	4	49	48½	48½	....
Firestone T&R	4	44⅝	44¼	44¼	— ¼
Firest T&R pf	2	106	106	106	— ¼
First Nat Strs	2	38½	38⅛	38½	+ ⅛
Flintkote	84	20⅝	19⅞	20⅝	+ 1
Follansbe St	4	5⅞	5½	5⅞	....
Food Fair Strs	1	12¾	12½	12¾	— ⅛
Food Machinery	3	55	55	55	....
Foster Wheeler	2	20½	20⅛	20½	....
Freeport Sulph	2	31½	31¾	31¾	+ ⅜
Fruehauf Tra	22	33⅜	33⅛	33⅜	— ⅛
FruehauTr4½pf	80	106	105¾	105¾	— ¼
Gabriel Co	3	3¾	3⅝	3⅝	....
Gair (Robert)	4	3½	3½	3½	....
Gair(Robert) pf	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	....
Gar Wood Ind	4	5⅛	5	5⅛	+ ⅛
Gaylord Cont	64	17⅛	15½	17	+ 1⅜
Gen Am Trans	3	42⅞	42½	42½	— ¼
Gen Baking	2	8	8	8	....
Gen Bronze	2	8⅞	8¾	8⅞	+ ⅜
Gen Cable	8	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	— ⅛
Gen Elec	36	35¾	35½	35⅝	— ⅛
Gen Foods	2	41⅞	41⅞	41⅞	....
Gen G & El A	27	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	+ ⅛
Gen Mills	1	109½	109½	109½	+ 1¼
Gen Motors	48	58⅞	58⅜	58⅜	+ ⅛
Gen Out Advert	12	8¾	8¾	8¾	+ ⅛
Gen Print Ink	4	7½	7½	7½	— ⅛
Gen Ry Signal	1	20½	20½	20½	....
Gen Refract	2	20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ⅛
Gen Shoe	2	16⅛	16⅛	16½	+ ⅛
Gen Time Inst	3	23½	23½	23½	....
Gen T & Rub	1	21¼	21¼

Radio Programs

Wednesday, May 17 — Washington — Eastern War Time

	WMAL 469M 630KC	WRC 316M 980KC	WOL 229M 1260KC	WTOP 206M 1500KC
	Prelude, 6:05-7, Town Clock, 7:10-7:45 and 8-9, Mahoney, 7:45, News, 6, 7, 8:30.	Timekeeper, Bill Herson, 6-9, News, 6, 7, 7:55 and 8:30, World Roundup, 8.	Dawn Pat. to 6:30; Art Brown, 6:35-9; News, 6:30, 7:30, 8 and 8:30.	Corn Squeezing Time, 5:45-6:45, News, 6:45, 7:30 & 8, Godfrey, 7-8:15.
6:00	Breakfast Club	Mirth and	Art Brown at	News, Godfrey
9:15	" "	Madness	the Organ	Home Serv. Daily
9:30	" "	News; Banghart	Listen, Ladies!	Sing Along
9:45	" "	Br'dway Melodies	" "	Muy Amigos
10:00	Sweet River	Lora Lawton	News, Gladstone	Valiant Lady
10:15	My True	World News	Mr. Moneybags	Kitty Foyle
10:30	Story	Help Mate	Linda's First Love	Open Door
10:45	Listening Post	Music Room	Mary Foster	Bach'r's Children
11:00	Breakfast at	Road of Life	News; A. Gaeth	Honeymoon Hill
11:15	Sardi's	Vic and Sade	The Handy Man	Second Husband
11:30	Ruth	Brave Tomorrow	Morning Serenade	Bright Horizon
11:45	Crane	David Harum	What's Your Idea	Aunt Jenny
12:00	News, Evans	News; Novelette	News, B. Carter	Kate Smith Speaks
12:15	Little Show	Devotions	Music Mixers	Big Sister
12:30	Nat'l Farm &	Matinee Today	Army Service	Helen Trent
12:45	Home Hour	" "	Forces	Our Gal Sunday
1:00	Baukhage	Nancy Osgood—	News; Ray Daly	Life Beautiful
1:15	Pin Money	"Home Forum"	Jack Berch	Ma Perkins
1:30	" "	Victory Gardens	Lunch with Lopez	Bernadine Flynn
1:45	" "	Morgan Beatty	Russ Hodges	The Goldbergs
2:00	" "	Guiding Light	" "	Portia Faces Life
2:15	David Wills	Today's Children	" "	Joyce Jordan
2:30	It's the Law	Light of the World	Hodges; Compton	Young Dr. Malone
2:45	Baby Institute	Church Hymns	Russ Hodges	Perry Mason
3:00	Mort. Downey	Woman of Amer.	Charles Town	Mary Marlin
3:15	Appointment	Ma Perkins	Races	Janice Grey
3:30	With Life	Pepper Young	Russ Hodges	Now and Forever
3:45	Ethel & Albert	Right to Happiness	" "	News for Women
4:00	News, Evans	Backstage Wife	Compton; Hodges	Broadway
4:15	Music	Stella Dallas	Russ Hodges	Matinee; News
4:30	Time V. News	Lorenzo Jones	" "	Texas Rangers
4:45	Music	Widow Brown	" "	" "
5:00	Terry & Pirates	A Girl Marries	Art Brown	Fun With Dunn
5:15	Dick Tracy	We Love & Learn	" "	Godfrey Show
5:30	J. Armstrong	Just Plain Bill	News, Compton	News; B'd of Wk.
5:45	Capt. Midnight	Front Page Farrell	Superman	American Women
6:00	Bat'tront News	News, Leif Eld	Sports Resume	Folliard-Costello
6:15	News; Music	Musicade	News, Compton	Lyn Murray Show
6:30	Sports; A'sky	Dutch Bergman	Front Page	"6:30 Show"
6:45	W. Kiernan	Lowell Thomas	Music	News; Harsch
7:00	Yanks in Or'nt	Fred Waring	News, F. Lewis	I Love a Mystery
7:15	Swing	News of World	Johnson Family	Passing Parade
7:30	The Lone	Man at a Grand	Quiz of	Easy Aces
7:45	Ranger	Herson in Person	Two Cities	" "
8:00	News	Mr. and Mrs.	Sizing Up News	Allan Jones and
8:15	Lum 'n Abner	North	The Smoothies	Frankie Carle
8:30	My Best Girl	Beat the	Your Date	Doctor
8:45	" "	Band	With Cugat	Christian
9:00	Dunninger	Time to Smile	Gabriel Heatter	Frank Sinatra
9:15	"	" " "	Nick Carter	Show
9:30	Spotlight	Mr. District	First Nighter	Jack Carson
9:45	Bands	Attorney	" "	Show
10:00	R. G. Swing	Kay	News; Music	Great Moments
10:15	Top of Even'g	Kyser's	Donald Nelson	in Music
10:30	Soldiers With	Musical	World's Most	Report to the
10:45	Wings	Kollege	Honored Music	Nation
11:00	News, Evans	News; Music	News, Repaid	Calmer & Shirer
11:15	Hour	Harkness of D. C.	Fulton Lewis, Jr.	Arch McDonald's
11:30	of	"Anna Christie"—	Guy Lombardo	"Moon Dial"
11:45	Dreams	Pauline Lord	Unity Viewpoint	Invitat'n to Music

RADIO NOTES FOR TODAY

Your Army Service Forces—First Lieut. Margaret Nelson, Army nurse who was on Anzio beachhead for three months and who saw service in Tunisia, gives a woman's picture of life at the fighting front. WOL—12:30 p. m.

Baby Institute—Dr. Donovan McCune of Babies Hospital, New York, gives a talk on the endocrine glands. WMAL—2:45 p. m.

Beat the Band—Hildegarde sings "Long Ago and Far Away." "Play, Orchestra, Play," etc. Harry Sosnik and the orchestra present a special arrangement of "Two Guitars." WRC—8:30 p. m.

Your Date With Cugat—Nita Rosa sings "Besame Mucho; Don Rodney and Del Campo offer "Suddenly It's Spring" and "Cinco Hijos;" Xavier Cugat and the orchestra play some rhumbas. WOL—8:30 p. m.

Baseball—The third game of the Cleveland-Washington series is aired. WWDC—8:30 p. m.

William Gargan is Eddie Cantor's guest on a program from Manhattan Beach, New York. WRC—9 p. m.

Lauritz Melchior, Wagnerian tenor of the Metropolitan Opera, teams up with Comedian Jack Carson. WTOP—9:30 p. m.

Donald Nelson, WPB chairman, delivers a radio address from the Waldorf-Astoria, where the Committee on Inter-American Development is meeting. WOL—10:15 p. m.

Akim Tamiroff and Lynn Bari are guests on "Soldiers With Wings. WMAL—10:30 p. m.

Report to the Nation—Lieut. Gen. Robert K. S. Lim, medical director of the Chinese army, and John Lardner, Newsweek correspondent just returned from the Anzio beachhead, are guests. Also the premiere of a new war song, "Clear the Road to Glory." WTOP—10:30 p. m.

WINX & WWDC broadcast news every hour on hour and every available half-hour

Station WINX, Wednesday, May 17, 1944—E. W. T.—250 W.—1340 KC.

MORNING	12:35 Navy Band	7:35 Places to Go
6:00 Jerry Strong	1:00 Sports,	8:05 Concert Master
7:30 News Roundup	and Popular Music	8:30 Crime Clues
7:45 Jerry Strong	5:05 Music Hall	8:45 They Can Be Saved
8:35 Strong & Johnson	EVENING	9:05 Symphony Hour
9:05 Music	6:00 Sports Today	10:00 News Roundup
9:30 Traffic Court	6:15 Johannes Steel	10:15 Cavalcade of Music
10:05 Music Hall	6:35 Dinner Music	10:30 Traffic Court
11:05 Symphony Hour	7:05 Pop Concert	11:05 Dance Time
AFTERNOON	7:15 United We Stand	11:35 Slumber Music
12:00 Luncheon Music		12:00 Midnight Newsreel

Station WWDC, Wednesday, May 17, 1944—E. W. T.—250 W.—1460 KC.

MORNING	12:30 Mike Hunnicutt	7:00 Cantor Shapiro
6:00 Sunrise Serenade	1:00 The Blessed Eventer	7:30 Richard Eaton
6:30 News, Bob Ball	1:35 1450 Club	7:45 Talking Pictures
6:45 Dale Crowley	5:00 Band of the Day	8:00 Romantic Rendezvous
7:00 Mike Hunnicutt	5:15 Sinatra vs. Crosby	8:20 Dugout Chatter
10:00 Bing Crosby	5:30 Victory Vaudeville	8:30 Baseball: Washington
10:30 Alice Lane	EVENING	vs. Cleveland
11:30 Jim Jam Session	6:00 Melody Lane	11:00 Post Mortems
AFTERNOON	6:30 Leon Pearson	11:10 Freddy Martin Orch.
12:00 Password Please	6:45 Boothby-Mansell	11:30 Continental Hits
		12:00 Midnight Dancing P'ty

DONALD DUCK — By Walt Disney

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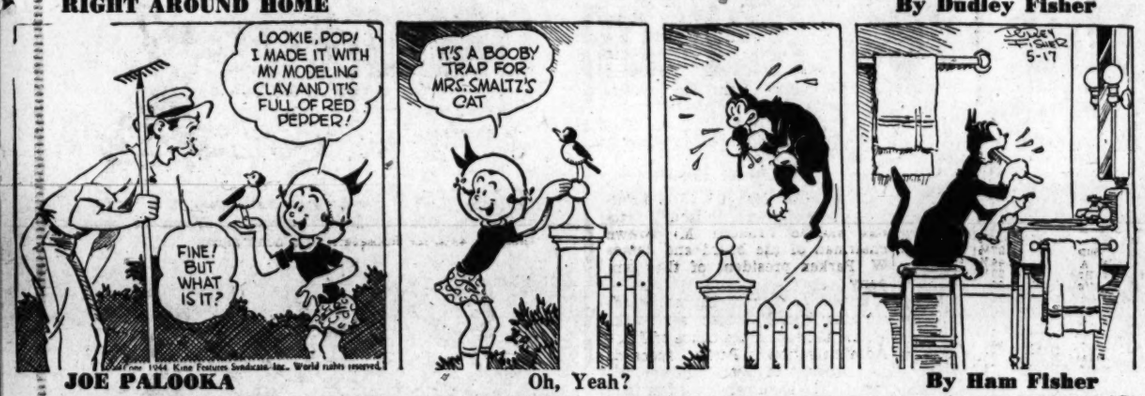
RIGHT AROUND HOME — By Dudley Fisher


LOOKIE, POP! I MADE IT WITH MY MODELING CLAY AND IT'S FULL OF RED PEPPER!
FINE! BUT WHAT IS IT?
IT'S A BOOBY TRAP FOR MRS. SMALTZ'S CAT
SIDNEY SMITH 5-17

JOE PALOOKA — Oh, Yeah? — By Ham Fisher

WHAT A FUNNY LOOKIN' SAP THAT BOID SHE'S GONNA MARRY IS. I BUSTED OUT LAFFIN' WHEN MOTTLE INTERDUCED US.
RILLY?
YEAH. HE'LL BE GOIN' OVERSEAS— AN' ME AN' MOTTLE—WELL I DON'T HAFTA TELL YA— HAW HAW—
YES YA DO!!
WHATTA YA MEAN— HEY—
CRASH

SUPERMAN — Hear Superman 5:45 P.M. Today—WOL — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

DO YOU SERIOUSLY THINK I--- THE MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IN THE WORLD---WOULD MARRY YOU?
WHY NOT?
THERE ARE A THOUSAND MEN DOWN THERE TRYING TO BREAK INTO THIS BUILDING JUST TO HURL THEMSELVES AT MY FEET--- AND EVERY ONE OF THEM IS MORE ATTRACTIVE THAN YOU!
I MAY NOT BE PRETTY, BUT I'M CLEVER.
I'M CLEVERER THAN ANY OF THOSE GUYS! AS A MATTER OF FACT, I'M EVEN CLEVERER THAN SUPERMAN!
BOSH! IF YOU DON'T THINK SUPERMAN IS CLEVER, TAKE A LOOK AT THE WAY HE'S HANDLING THAT MOB OF LOVESICK SWAINS!

JANE ARDEN — Who Is Following Whom? — By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross

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WHAT DO I DO NOW? GOLLY?
WHAT THE HECK'S SHE LAUGHING AT?
?
HE MUST BE AN AWFUL DOPE — I TRIED TO MAKE IT EASY FOR HIM—
I WISH SHE'D TAKEN A SEAT FIRST, SO I'D KNOW WHAT TO DO—
WHAT'S HE STALLING FOR?
IS THIS SEAT TAKEN?
WHY, ER- UH- NO, MA-AM!

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — By Clifford McBride

TERRY AND THE PIRATES — She Woogied Out of That — By Milton Caniff

ODD TO FIND AN AMERICAN GIRL IN SUCH AN OUT OF THE WAY PLACE, MISS SAINT LOUIS ... WHY DID THE SINGHS IMPRISON YOU?
WHY- AH
THEY MUST HAVE SUSPECTED THAT FLIGHT OFFICER LEE AND I WERE AWARE OF THEIR AXIS ACTIVITIES
THEY DID NOTHING TO ME WHILE THE U.S. ARMY WAS REPRESENTED - BUT I HID ON THE TOWN WATER TOWER WHEN TERRY WENT AWAY...
YES...
FROM THERE I SAW THE PLANE BEARING RUSSIAN MARKINGS TAKE OFF...THEN, THEY TOOK ME TO THE TUNNEL...
YOU DIDN'T MENTION WHY YOU WERE HERE...
...OH, I WAS BORN IN INDIA - BUT EDUCATED IN THE UNITED STATES... THE RULER HERE HIRED ME TO TEACH AMERICAN DANCING TO HIS RETINUE! HE WAS INTERESTED IN THE BOOGOO, OR NATIVE AMERICAN BALLET!

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

...DR. HALL WAS JUST LEAVING, MISS...ER...?
BUFF BEVERLY, OF "PAGEANT" MAGAZINE, DR. WARD!...
BUT DON'T MIND ME IF YOU WANT TO GO ON CHECKING EACH OTHERS PULSES!
I'LL CONTINUE THE COURSE OF TREATMENT YOU WERE GIVING THE CHILD BEFORE SHE CAME TO ME, DOCTOR!
YOU'RE NOT KIDDING ME, MRS. HIGHNOSE! I KNOW THE SCORE NOW IN THIS LITTLE GAME OF WOLF EAT WOLF!... AND YOU'RE PLAYING THE CHAMP!

MICKEY FINN — Impressed — By Lank Leonard

COME IN!
Dr. E.Z. Kayo
Dr. U. I. Kayo
PRIVATE LABORATORY
A TELEGRAM!
HMMM!
MORTIMER MINTMORE, THE MULTI-MILLIONAIRE! — BUT HE DOESN'T SAY WHO THE FRIEND IS!
NO— BUT IT MUST BE SOME DISTINGUISHED PERSON — WE'D BETTER BOTH GO!

MR. AND MRS. — Economy Is Wealth—II — By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

FIRST DAY OF ECONOMY
SECOND DAY OF ECONOMY
THIRD DAY OF ECONOMY
FOURTH DAY OF ECONOMY
MAY BE EXPENSIVE BUT YOU PAY FOR MORE THAN JUST FOOD WHEN YOU GO TO A NICE PLACE

DIXIE DUGAN — Whew!!! — By J. P. McEvoy and H. J. Striebel

I'M GONNA CALL TH' POLICE
WAIT!
CLICK
IT'S ONLY PA
WHEW! THAT'S A RELIEF
BUT WHAT'S YOUR PA DOING IN THAT OLD UNUSED CELLAR AT FIVE IN THE MORNING?
WHO CARES? TURN OUT THE LIGHT— WE CAN STILL GET A COUPLA HOURS' SHUT-EYE

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — Funeral Dirge — By Frank Martinek

RIDING THE ANCHOR CHAIN WON'T BE PLEASANT! HOW ABOUT CHANGING YOUR MIND, WINSLOW?
YOU GOT MY ANSWER! NOW LET US GET SOME SLEEP!
IT'S YOUR FUNERAL NOT MINE!
SWEET DREAMS, BOYS! MAKE THEM GOOD... YOU ONLY HAVE A FEW LEFT!
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BIG CHIEF WAHOO — By Saunders and Woggon

SCUTTLE ME AN' STRIKE ME BLIND!--- I SAYS, OVER TH' RAIL WITH 'EM!
THE MAN ROPER IS STRONG, AND SMART!--HE MAY BE USEFUL!
IZZ ALZO HANDSOME! EH, ZIRCON?
WE HAVE ARGUED TOO LONG! LET US DECIDE BY VOTE! --A SECRET VOTE!
HERE ARE MATCHES! DROP A BROKEN ONE IN THE CUP IF ROPER AND WAHOO MUST DIE!
GOOD ENOUGH! AN' CAP'N CROKE CASTS TH' FIRST RUM-SWOGGLED BALLOT!
CRACK!

WINNIE WINKLE — Pa Can't Face It — By Branner

FATHER! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
OUT, TO TAKE A WALK FOR A LITTLE WHILE!
I THOUGHT YOU WERE COOKING DINNER!
I AM, BUT TH' COOK-BOOK SAYS, WHEN TH' BATTER IS MIXED, TO--
--- BEAT IT FOR FIFTEEN MINUTES!!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED — By Zane Grey

BACK, TIP! YOUR MURDEROUS MASTER'LL HAVE THE ROBOT CRUSH YOU, TOO!
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BUT CLINT FAILS TO SEE HIS DOG IN THE BULLET-SHATTERED LENS!
STRIKE, ROBOT! AGAIN! AGAIN!

Ringside Table

VICTOR INTO METRONOME. Charles Victor, notable maestro who leads from the drums, will bring his band to the Metronome Room on Friday. The Victor orchestra is a spang new one, assembled since his recent medical discharge from the Army, where he played in the 133d Engineers band. Starred singers are Jeanne Baron and Murray Heyman. Besides presenting modern swing, Bandleader Victor also promises goodly quantities of rhumbas, Viennese waltzes and "concert music in dance time" . . . You've tonight and tomorrow for adieus to Roy Fox and his glossy music.

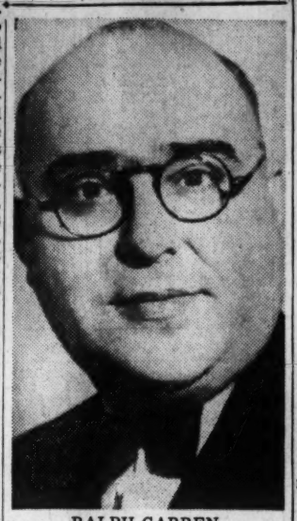
A "Polka Revue" will make a bouncey debut at the Balalaika next Monday. The show will climax with double-tempo polkas by all the Balalaika Russians. Perhaps they'll let ringsiders dance with them.

LIFE BEGINS AT LUNCH. Attractive luncheon hours recently introduced at Treasure Island and the Music Box are catching on like Betty Grable at a canteen show. Treasure Island, airy and beautiful, is convenient for Connecticut ave. shoppers. The little Music Box looks like a jewel box, but its prices are strictly pop . . . The prettiest girls in town have been lunching to the Madrillon's soft music for these many years . . . Restaurant "823" is always chock-a-block with businessmen at the lunch hour . . . Generals, senators and other important ones seem to prefer the fancy but filling luncheons at Olmsted's . . . Night life officially starts at 1 p. m. at the Lotus with the first floor show. The Lotus luncheon revue, incidentally, has the youngest patrons in town. Both kindergarteners and their mummies dote on the novelty acts and the picture dances of the Lotusettes.

Star party tonight, remember, is at Trade Winds, where a new floor show will be rolled out. Headliner is Loraine Kask, who'll change her costumes right on the floor. Maybe she'll ask customers to help with the zippers. What ho!

LITTLE JACK LITTLE, El Patio star, is one of the Treasury's best war bond salesmen. He's been on daily coast to coast radio hook-ups for every bond drive. His low persuasive voice and flying fingers on the piano are an ever ingrating air wave interlude.

THE MELODY BOYS. Donnelly James, bandleader at La Conga, is



RALPH GARREN, orchestra leader at Kavakos Grill, formerly with Vincent Lopez's Band

still surprised at his luck in getting a new tenor sax. He grabbed it as it was being unpacked in a music store, was offered a higher price for it within five minutes. . . . Remember Mert Oliver, strictly solid bassist, who used to be with Ralph Hawkins' band at Crossroads? He's now playing with Teddy Powell in Chicago's Panther Room. . . Frank Oxley of "Swanee" Swanson's crew at Merry-Land, is a doube-threat lad. He's a nifty bassist, an equally good singer. . . . Russ Cullen in outa the Navy and onto the Mayflower Lounge bandstand as singing saxist. . . . The Dubonnet Room orchestra recently played at the Naval Hospital. . . . Maestro Eddie O'Hearn of the Carlton's Congo Room opines that "Long Ago and Far Away" is far and away the sweetest tune of the year . . . Organist Sid Willoughby of Restaurant "400" not only makes with the music. He sells organs to other musicians, has chalked up around $5000 in sales in the last couple of months. . . . Jack O'Neal and his Banner Boys at Hi Hat go fishing at Holland Point every Thursday night—we mean Friday morning—after the spot closes. They angle from 3 a. m. until noon, always come home laden with hardhead and shad.

Died 1

ARNESON, GEORGE E. On Monday, May 15, 1944, GEORGE E. ARNESON of 723 Virginia ave. se., the beloved husband of Lucy Laura Arneson and father of Mrs. Julia Rose Clancy, Edward Leroy and James A. Arneson. Funeral from William J. Nalley's funeral home, 522 8th st. se., on Wednesday, May 17, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. ((Fredericksburg papers please copy.)

BROWN, NELSON S. On Sunday, May 14, 1944, at Garfield Hospital, NELSON S. BROWN, beloved husband of Estelle Z. Brown of 22 Conn. ave., Kensington, Md. Remains resting at his late residence. Services on Wednesday, May 17, at St. John's Catholic Church, Forest Glen, Md., where requiem mass will be offered at 11 a. m. Interment church cemetery.

DORAN, WILLIAM H. On Sunday, May 14, 1944, at his residence, 1454 Euclid st. nw., WILLIAM H. DORAN, beloved husband of Tillie M. Doran. Services from the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, May 17, at 2 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

GOSS, SARAH C. On Sunday, May 14, 1944, SARAH C. GOSS, beloved sister of Fannie G. Lowe. Services from Chambers funeral home, 517 11ht st. se. on Wednesday, May 17 at 2:30 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

GRUND, FRIEDA. On Monday, May 15, 1944, at Doctors Hospital, FRIEDA GRUND, beloved wife of David Grund and mother of Mrs. Hilda Pitt of Washington, D. C., and Russell Grund of North Beach, Md. Friends may call at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Mass. ave. ne., where services will be held on Wednesday, May 17, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

HIGGINS, THOMAS B. On Sunday, May 14, 1944, THOMAS B. HIGGINS, son of the late William and Isabella Higgins. Friends are invited to call at Gawlers, 1756 Penna. ave. nw., where services will be held on Wednesday, May 17, at 2 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

HILL, MARY THERESE. Suddenly, on Sunday, May 14, 1944, at Sibley Hospital, MARY THERESE HILL, beloved daughter of William Wilson Hill and Mary T. Masruder Hill of Glenway, Prince Georges County, Md. Remains will be resting at Gasch's funeral home, 4739 Baltimore ave., Hyattsville, Md., where services will be held on Wednesday, May 17, at 10 a. m.; thence to St. Jerome's Catholic Church, Hyattsville, Md., where mass will be said at 10:30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

KANE, JULIA A. On Monday, May 15, 1944, at her residence, 910 B st. ne., JULIA A. KANE, the beloved wife of the late Thomas F. Kane and mother of Mrs. James H. Fritz, Edwin A. Kane and the late T. Albert Kane. Funeral from the above residence on Friday, May 19, at 8:30 a. m.; thence to St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 2d and C sts. ne., where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

MAXWELL, FRANCINA M. On Monday, May 15, 1944, at her residence, 1954 Columbia rd. nw., FRANCINA M. MAXWELL, daughter of the late Medical Director Charles D. Maxwell, USN, and Mrs. Maxwell. Friends are invited to call at Gawler's, 1756 Pa. ave. nw. Services at the Church of the Epiphany, 13th and G sts. nw., on Wednesday, May 17, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

Died 1

MILLER, WILLIAM THOMAS. On Sunday, May 14, 1944, at his residence, 2651 Fort Scott drive, Arlington, Va., WILLIAM THOMAS MILLER, beloved son of the late Covert O. and the late Josephine T. Miller. Remains resting at his late residence until Wednesday, May 17, at 1:30 p. m.; thence to Fort Myer Chapel, where funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery. (San Francisco and New York City papers, please copy.)

PAPPADEAS, GAREFALEA. On Monday, May 15, 1944, at Sibley Hospital, GAREFALEA PAPPADEAS, wife of the late Apostolas Pappadeas, mother of Jack and George Pappadeas, Mrs. Virginia Chevi and Mrs. Mary Chaconas and sister of Peter Kekenes. Remains resting at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw. Funeral services at St. Sophia's Church, 8th and L sts. nw., on Wednesday, May 17, at 2 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

REEVES, WILLIAM B. On Sunday, May 14, 1944, at Providence Hospital, WILLIAM B. REEVES of 801 Cox ave., Hyattsville, Md., husband of the late Ada L. Reeves and father of William H. and Thomas W. Reeves. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, May 17, at 10 a. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

ROSS, LESLIE L. Suddenly, on Suhday, May 14, 1944, LESLIE L. ROSS of 3812 1st st. se., beloved husband of Rose Carter Ross and son of Mrs. Cora Alice Ross. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, May 17, at 3 p. m. Interment Washington Memorial Park Cemetery.

SUCROW, ANNIE JANE. On Saturday, May 13, 1944, at her home, Wheaton, Md., ANNIE JANE SUCROW, beloved wife of Richard Charles Sucrow. Mrs. Sucrow rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey funeral home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where services will be held on Wednesday, May 17, at 10 a. m. Interment George Washington Memorial Park.

THOMPSON, WILLIAM W. On Monday, May 15, 1944, WILLIAM W. THOMPSON, beloved husband of Florence M. Thompson and father of Jane and William W. Thompson, jr., of 3701 Grant rd. nw. Funeral services (private) at the Bethesda-Chevey Chase funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey on Wednesday, May 17, at 10:30 a. m. Interment (private) Rock Creek Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

TURNER, JOHN M. On Sunday, May 14, 1944, at his residence, 1884 Columbia rd. nw., JOHN M. TURNER, husband of Gussie A. Turner and father of Corinne M. Cane, Carle W., David M. and Adolph Turner. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, May 17, at 11 a. m. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

TYLER, ELMER H. On Monday, May 15, 1944, at his residence, 333 W st. ne., ELMER H. TYLER, the beloved husband of Jennie H. Tyler, father of Mrs. Esther M. Hartley and Henry P. Tyler. Friends are invited to call at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. ne., where services will be held on Wednesday, May 17, at 1 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

American Forum Program

"Government Seizure of Business" will be discussed by a panel of four Congressmen on The American Forum program at 9:30 tonight in the Shoreham Hotel.

WFMD

930 Kilocycles

WEDNESDAY

MORNING

7:05 News; Sunrise Salute.
8:00 News of World.
8:15 Louise Wilcher, Organ.
8:30 Coffee Club.
8:45 Morning Devotions.
9:15 Sing Along Club.
9:45 Cord Wood.
10:00 News, Cordwood.
10:15 Town Crier.
10:30 Open Door.
10:45 Homemakers Forum.
11:15 Waltz Time.
11:30 Bright Horizon.
11:45 Cordwood.

AFTERNOON.

12:00 News.
12:15 Big Sister.
12:30 Helen Trent.
12:45 Our Gal Sunday.
1:00 Old Familiar Hymns.
1:30 Jerry Sears Orchestra.
1:45 Between Headlines.
2:00 Dixie Rogers.
2:30 Encore.
2:45 Serenade.
3:00 Mary Marlin.
3:15 News; Bob Trout.
3:30 Now and Forever.
3:45 This Life Is Mine.
4:00 Nasarene Youth.
4:30 Burl Ives.
5:00 Fun With Dunn.
5:30 Jack Smith and Sisters.
5:45 Sports.

EVENING.

6:00 Transradio Ne
6:15 Street of Dreams.
6:30 Jeri Sullivan.
7:00 Program Preview.
7:15 Jungle Jim.
7:30 Wings of Praise.
8:00 Dance Time.
8:15 Excursions in Science.
8:30 Dr. Christian.
9:00 Frank Sinatra.
9:30 Musical Varieties.
10:00 Great Moments in Music.
10:30 Report to the Nation.
11:00 World News
11:15 Joan Brooks.
11:30 Invitation to Music
12:05 Petrillo, Janette and McCormick.
12:30 Songs in the Night.

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WFVA

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WEDNESDAY

MORNING.

7:30 Music.
8:00 War Journal.
8:15 Hour of Prayer.
8:30 News Summary.
8:35 Morning Devotions.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 My True Story.
10:45 Listening Post.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 Gil Martyn: News.
11:45 Gossip for Girls.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Hit Band of the Week.
12:15 Luncheon Dancing.
12:30 Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 Baukage: News
1:15 Treasury Parade.
1:30 Concert Hall.
2:00 Rodrigues and Sutherland.
2:15 Song Shop.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
2:45 Mossy Man.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Appointment With Life.
3:45 Hollywood News.
4:00 Kid Smith.
4:30 Time Views the News.
4:45 Club 1290.
5:00 Price Panel.
5:15 Dick Tracy.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Capt. Midnite.
6:00 Terry and the Pirates.
6:15 Bar C Rangers.
6:30 Red Cross.
6:45 Henry J. Taylor.
7:00 Connee Boswell Show.
7:30 Sundown Serenade.
8:00 News.
8:15 Sign Off.

FREDERICKSBURG BROADCASTING CORPORATION
Fredericksburg, Va.

WINC

1400 Kilocycles.

WEDNESDAY

MORNING.

7:30 Morning Clock.
8:00 War Journal.
8:15 New Arrivals.
8:30 Blue News Correspondent.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 Peggy Painter.
10:30 Wheel of Fortune.
12:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 Kellogg News.
11:45 Wheel of Fortune.

AFTERNOON.

12:00 Music.
12:15 10-2-4 Ranch.
12:30 Farm and Home.
1:00 Baukhage.
1:15 Bible School.
1:45 Piano Playhouse.
2:00 Rodrigues and Sutherland.
2:15 The Mystery Chef.
2:30 Ladies. Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Appointment With Delight.
3:45 Ethel and Albert.
4:00 Blue Frolics.
4:30 Time Views News.
4:45 Sea Hound.
5:00 Terry and Pirates.
5:15 Dick Tracy.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Captain Midnight.

EVENING.

6:00 Good Neighbor.
6:10 Don't You Believe It?
6:15 Spin and Win.
6:30 Evening Reveries.
6:45 Henry J. Taylor.
7:00 Old Corrall.
7:15 Modern Romances.
7:30 Concert Hall.
8:00 News.
8:15 Lum and Abner.
8:30 My Best Girls.
9:00 Dunninger.
9:30 Spotlight Band.
10:15 Top of the Evening.
10:30 Sign Off.

WINCHESTER, VA.

WJEJ

WEDNESDAY

MORNING.

7:00 Early Bird.
8:45 Family Altar.
9:00 Organ Melodies
9:30 Man With a Band.
10:00 Front Line Features.
10:15 Morning Devotions.
10:30 Shady Valley Folks.
11:00 Arthur Gaeth.
11:15 Saddle Pals.
11:45 News Parade.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Boake Carter.
12:15 Music in Letter Vein.
12:30 Army Service Forces.
1:00 Ray Daly.
1:15 Jack Berch.
1:30 Lunch With Lopez.
1:45 American Women's Jury.
2:00 Cedric Foster.
2:15 Saddle Pals.
2:30 Mutual Calling.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Palmer House Orch.
3:30 Faye and Pete.
4:05 Hits & Bits
4:30 Silver Nocturne.
5:05 Radio Roundup.
5:30 Songs of Good Cheer.
5:45 Superman

EVENING

6:00 News, Sports.
6:15 The Smoothies.
6:30 Candlelight and Silver.
7:00 Fulton Lewis.
7:15 Johnson Family.
7:30 Old Corral.
7:45 Blue of Evening.
8:00 Cecil Brown.
8:15 Treasury Parade.
8:30 Organ Melodies.
9:00 Gabriel Heatter.
9:15 Nick Carter.
9:30 First Nighter.
10:00 Royal Arch Gunnison.
10:15 Marfree.
10:30 Dance Music.
11:00 Band Music; Sports.
11:30 Sign Off.

HAGERSTOWN, MD.

WCHV

1450 Kilocycles

WEDNESDAY

MORNING

7:00 Musical Clock.
8:00 Martin Agronsky.
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:30 The Pilgrim Hour.
8:45 Lucky Lady.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 True Story.
10:45 Treasury Salute.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 News Summary.
11:45 Texas Rangers.

AFTERNOON

12:00 News.
12:05 Noontime Devotions.
12:15 Town Crier.
12:25 Today's Movie Guide.
12:30 Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 News—Baukhage
1:15 Music of the Masters.
1:45 Piano Playhouse.
2:00 News; Waltzes.
2:15 Mystery Chef.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey
3:15 Appointment With Life.
3:45 Ethel and Albert.
4:00 Blue Frolics.
4:30 Time Views the News.
5:05 Five o'Clock Club.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 10-2-4 Ranch

EVENING

6:00 Terry and Pirates.
6:15 Treasury Parade.
6:30 Woody Herman.
6:45 Sports.
7:00 Texas Rangers.
7:15 Community Service.
7:30 Modern Romances.
7:45 Confidentially Yours.
8:00 Paul Neilson.
8:15 Lum and Abner.
8:30 Stop and Shop.
9:00 Dunninger.
9:30 Spotlight Bands.
10:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
10:15 Top of the Evening.
10:30 Soldiers With Wings.
11:00 Music You Want.
11:30 Gay Claridge's Orch.
11:55 News.
12:00 Sign Off.

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Charlottesville, Va.

WSVA

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WEDNESDAY

MORNING

6:00 Rev. Maiden.
6:15 Hillbilly Music.
6:30 Band Stand.
7:00 Curley Joe.
7:15 The Trading Post.
7:30 News.
7:45 Joe Johnson.
8:00 Scruggs Showcase.
8:15 Smiles.
8:30 Campfire Roundup.
9:00 Kitchen Frolic.
9:45 News.
10:00 Quality Music.
10:15 Government Show.
10:30 Doublin' in Ivory.
10:45 Woman's Page of the Air.
11:00 News.
11:15 Reed Organ.
11:30 Border Boys.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Dinner Bell.
12:30 News.
12:45 Markets.
1:00 10-2-4 Ranch.
1:15 Campfire Roundups.
2:00 News.
2:15 Town Crier.
2:30 Uncle Joe.
3:00 Johnson Boys.
3:15 Sunny Gillam.
3:30 News
3:45 Modern Romances.
4:00 The Goldbergs.
4:15 Life Can Be Beautiful.
4:30 Ma Perkins.
4:45 News.
5:00 Story Lady.
5:15 Toby Stroud.
5:30 Evening Melodies.
5:45 News; Markets.
6:00 Government Show.
6:15 Dance Time.
6:45 News.
7:00 Sign Off.

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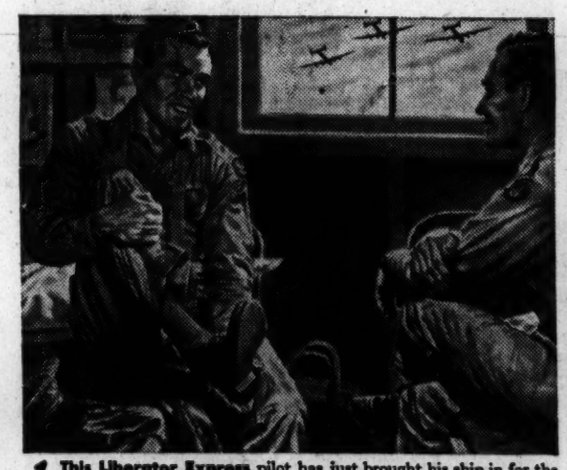

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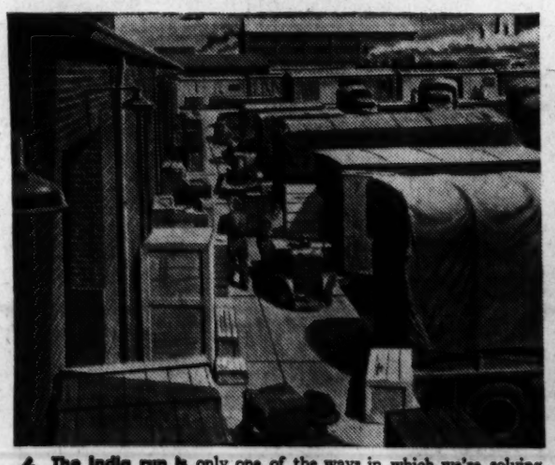

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